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DANGER.

Corrupt Officials Are Scared.

Investigations May Soon Come.

General Desire Though to Proceed With Caution.

Interesting Work Before the Legislators at Sacramento.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, January 23.—The tidal wave of reform started by Dr. Parkhurst in New York has reached the Pacific coast in all its immensity, and whether or not the officials it is intended to engulf can escape, is yet a matter of conjecture. One thing is certain, a vigorous crusade on the subject is being urged in the Legislature, and the topic has now become one of almost all-absorbing interest.

There is a feeling though among some of the members that the start has not been made in the right way. Frank Powers, chairman of the San Francisco delegation in the Assembly, is naturally one of the most interested men in the Legislature, and he is declaiming loudly against the proposition as it now stands.

"It is absolutely childish," he said. "They propose to probe the alleged police corruption in San Francisco by February 15th. It can't be done. Ewing, Spencer, Reel, Davis and Gay, who have been suggested for the committee, are all good men, but how can they, hampered as they would be by having witnesses kept out of their way, go to San Francisco, dig up all the evidence and return and report it to the Legislature within a few days? I am in favor of the investigation, but I want to see it done properly. If the methods of San Francisco are to be inquired into let the Legislature do it properly if it takes all summer, but certainly not by wasting the time of five good men and the money which would be entailed in the manner now proposed."

Senator Earl, who as chairman of the Committee on Education and Public Morals in the upper house is brought most into touch there with the project, also has sensible views on the subject. In his opinion there should be no hasty action regarding a matter of such magnitude. He has been feeling the pulse of opinion, and he is satisfied that the investigation would be thoroughly indorsed, but he does not want to run up the heavy expenses that will be entailed unless it can be shown that the inquiry will be conducted fully.

"I do not think it possible to do the work and report to this Legislature," he says, "and it would therefore have to be left to a standing committee to report next session. A stenographer and attorney would have to be engaged, so you see why I am advocating full deliberation before we proceed on a matter so important as this."

It is authentically given out that if the commission is appointed Judge Wallace of San Francisco will divorce himself from all his other duties and become its attorney. He takes a great interest in all such proceedings, and, furthermore the position would bring him much fame.

TO SHAKE UP THE BLIND HOME.

The Blind Home of Oakland is to receive a thorough overhauling. Governor Budd, after listening to the complaints of the visiting committee has decided to make a personal investigation, and when the session is over and he has some time to himself, he will proceed there and will determine what is true and what is not. From the way he talks he will probably make a clean sweep of the directorate if he considers the charges sustained. The Governor thinks that the Blind Home should be kept out of politics, and if he does appoint a complete new board it will be a non-partisan one.

THE BALL ALL RIGHT.

Nothing now stands in the way of the success of the Inaugural Ball. The removal of the Senatorial fight from the arena has given the members an opportunity to perfect the various arrangements, and it has been determined to adjourn from Saturday noon until Tuesday. Two bands of music have been engaged and the committee promises that the entertainment provided will be as elaborate as anything before attempted.

TO PENSION SCHOOLTEACHERS.

Schoolteachers throughout the State will be called on to consider a measure which is to be pushed by Senator Bert. It provides for an annuity and retirement fund, to be operated in the following manner: It shall be in the hands of a Board of Trustees, consisting of the Superintendent of Schools, Treasurer and Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of each county.

The fund is to be supplied as follows: All money withheld from salaries on account of absence from duty, etc.; 1 per cent of each teacher's salary; 5 per cent of all the income derived by the county from licenses for liquor men, pawnbrokers, billiard hall proprietors and second hand dealers; one-fourth of all the revenue derived from dog tags.

The pensions are apportioned at $45 a month for each teacher who retires after twenty years' service, and $50 a month for those who serve twenty-five years. All money that accumulates in the fund over and above what is needed is to be turned over each year to the General fund of each county.

The California Experimental Station at Berkeley is figuring in a bill prepared by Senator Simpson in connection with the proper scheduling of fertilizers. The measure provides that samples of all fertilizers placed on the market at more than $7 50 a ton shall be analyzed at the State University. Professor Hilgard is personally making an effort to have the bill passed.

A ROAD ENGINEER.

A measure in which Alameda county is directly interested has been drawn up by Senator Holloway. It ordains that the Supervisors of each county shall appoint a road engineer, who must be a competent roadbuilder. The official proposed is to hold office for a term not exceeding two years and his pay shall be as follows: In counties containing 300 miles of roads or less, $1200 per annum; more than 300 and not exceeding 600, $1600; over 600 and not exceeding 1000, $2000; all over 1000, $2500 per annum.

TO CUT DOWN ATTACHES.

Senator Elliott McAllister's desire for retrenchment has led him to draw up a bill which regulates the list of attaches to each branch of the Legislature, giving the power, however, to make additions on a vote of four-fifths of the members elected. The statutory officers are provided for as now, but the subordinate places are slaughtered beyond all recognition. For instance, the bill only allows in the Senate ten committee clerks and five assistants, who must be stenographers, while for the Assembly, twelve committee clerks are apportioned and six assistants. Seven pages are allowed for the Assembly, and six for the Senate.

THE ELECTION OF PERKINS.

The Senatorial contest has now gone into history, and the closing scenes will be remembered with pleasure by those who participated in them. Senator Perkins' address was full of good, sober thought and sound sense, and the frequent interruptions of applause bore testimony to the appreciation with which his remarks were received. Assemblyman Dodge started things going in lively style by proposing three cheers for the Senator, and as the hurrahing ceased, the Alamedan, looking a little pale, but perfectly self-possessed, made his response of thanks for his election.

The Senator took back with him to Oakland a little bundle of yellow papers that he prizes very highly. It consists of the congratulatory dispatches he received after getting the nomination, and it seems as if every one of prominence hastened to shake hands with him in spirit. Oakland was particularly well represented in the telegrams, and a pleasant feature was that many of them were from those who had been mentioned as his rivals for the place.

VOORHEES AND HIS VOTE.

Senator Voorhees is not pleased with the statement that has gone out that he with Assemblymen Tibbits, Coleman and Dunbar was instrumental in the downfall of De Young through not voting for Reddick as had been anticipated.

"I don't see how any one thought I would vote for Reddick," he said, "I am sure I never said so, and certainly not to Mr. Stone with whom I did not exchange a word during his stay in Sacramento. At one time I had intended placing Neff in nomination and voting for him, but I decided that it would be simply throwing away my ballot to do so, and I therefore cast my vote for Perkins."

H. M. COLLINS HERE AGAIN.

Now that the Senatorial contest is out of the way, H. M. Collins is on the scene again to push his claims for the seat now occupied by McDonald. He will ask the committee to give him an early hearing, and it will undoubtedly be granted, as such an arrangement was tacitly understood when Collins asked to have the whole matter go over until the Senatorial fight was out of the way.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Senators Seymour and Mathews and Assemblymen Dodge, Dixon and Langenour were those honored in being appointed to escort Senator Perkins to the chair.

D. Edward Collins is here from Oakland.

C. M. Shortridge of the San Francisco *Call* and Sam Rucker of San Jose came up to witness the joint session and at once returned to San Francisco.

Commodore Phil Caduc of the San Francisco Yacht Club is at the Golden Eagle.

Dan Cole is still holding down first base at the Capital Hotel.

Billy Hamilton and Colonel Jackson were two of the happiest men on the floor when the cheering started up for Senator Perkins.

Senator Henderson wants the Legislature to instruct the Harbor Commissioners to pay a claim of $1250 for the Pacific Transfer Company.

The first weekly history of the Senate contains 291 bills, nine joint resolutions and twelve constitutional amendments. The Assembly history for the week contains 315 bills, four concurrent resolutions and nineteen constitutional amendments.

Up to date the Alameda county delegation in the Assembly has introduced twenty-six bills, distributed as follows: Dodge, 8; Waymire, 12; Fassett, 5; Gay, 1.

W. Jay Schmidt, the Berkeley spendthrift, intends taking in the Inaugural Ball in style. A dispatch (collect) was received from him today, reading: "Secure passes for the ball for Neary and myself and three horses. Also secure apartments and, if possible, negotiate loan of dress suit for Neary. I will appear at ball in character as Goddess of Liberty." HATTON.

POLICE CORRUPTION.

A Law to Be Framed to Provide for an Investigation.

SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The resolution of Ewing for an investigation of the corruption of the San Francisco Police Department was the special order for this morning.

Waymire of Alameda said that the Lexow Committee was appointed by virtue of a statute, and offered a substitute resolution directing the Attorney General to draft a law granting authority to a committee to investigate the police and also San Francisco election frauds.

The committee shall sit as long as necessary.

The substitute was adopted by 75 to 4.

The Assembly then took up and concurred in a Senate resolution permitting the use of the Capitol for the inaugural ball.

As an urgency measure, under suspension of the rules, a bill appropriating $50,000 for the support of the State Printing Office was read first, second and third times and passed.

Phelps, chairman of the Committee on Retrenchments, offered a resolution giving the committee power to send sub-committees at will to investigate State institutions.

Phelps declared that the State was robbed right and left, especially in the management of the Preston School of Industry at Ione. The resolution was adopted.

HINTON WINS.

He Is Appointed Registrar of San Francisco.

How the Fight Was Made at Sacramento.

Andy Clunie and Others Will Be Provided For.

Special to The Tribune.

CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The Governor has appointed William M. Hinton, Registrar in San Francisco.

The fight simmered down to between him and Alonzo A. Watkins of W. W. Montague & Co.

Watkins, however, refused to accept the place and withdrew, leaving the field clear for Hinton.

Dick Hammond retired from the race and Sammy Braunhardt, who was also a candidate for the place, withdrew with the conditions, it is understood, that he will be appointed Port Warden.

Andy Clunie held out for the place and for a long time refused to accept anything else.

It is believed, though, he will be appointed Attorney of the State Board of Health, a position now held by George Knight.

If, however, the office is abolished by the present Legislature, Clunie will be otherwise provided for. HATTON.

MINERAL LANDS.

Senator Power Anxious to Have Them Classified.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—Senator Power has returned to the Senate and resumed his efforts to pass a bill for the classification of mineral lands in the Northern Pacific grant.

He is hopeful of securing the passage of the House bill before adjournment and was today assured that no more patents will be issued to these lands while the present Congress is in session.

NO WARNING.

A Newspaper Correspondent Killed by a Judge.

BAZORIA, Tex., January 24.—R. M. McChinn, a newspaper correspondent of Velasco, was killed here by Judge Harry Masterson.

McChinn was a witness in an important suit.

He had been in Brazoria but a few minutes when Masterson opened fire upon him, killing him instantly.

Masterson surrendered.

Trying to Elect Senators.

OLYMPIA, Wash., January 24.—The ninth ballot for Senator was as follows: Ankeney, 25; Wilson, 7; Allen, 24; Turner, 19; McMillen, 5; Rogers, 23; Wallace, 6; Mauring, 1. Joint session dissolved to noon tomorrow.

SALEM, Or., January 24.—The Legislature met in joint session today to vote for United States Senator. The ballot stood: Dolph, 44; Moore, 19; Lord, 2; Hare, 10; Bennett, 8; Moody, 4; Williams, 1; Kincaid, 1. No choice.

Gave Up the Task.

PARIS, January 24.—M. Burgeoise has finally given up the task of attempting to form a Cabinet.

Appointed Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—The President today appointed E. E. Thrift Postmaster at Stockton, Cal.

BUSY.

Politicians Hard at Work.

Many Candidates Are in the Field.

The Populists Ready to Hold a Convention.

Republicans to Open Their Headquarters Tomorrow.

The Populists are actively engaged in preparing for the municipal fight and a full city ticket will be placed in the field under the People's party banner. The club plan of electing delegates to the convention, which will be held on Monday night, has been followed and nearly all the ward clubs have completed their list.

The candidates for Mayor are numerous, though the prospect seems that J. L. Davie will carry off the prize. He will have several opponents in the convention, however. Among them are Rev. S. Goodenough, who made a good fight for the Assembly in the Fifty-first district, and William P. Wheeler, the grocer.

The street talk is that Davie has a majority in the club delegations thus far selected.

J. J. Warner and R. Hesse have been mentioned as possible candidates for the nomination for Auditor and ex-officio Assessor.

City Treasurer Zach Gilpin is somewhat favored for a nomination for the place he now holds. Jones, the bazar man, though, has come into prominence within a day or so, while J. K. Miller will probably contend for the place as well.

The clubs will select and recommend the candidates for Councilman and School Director from the respective wards. In the First the delegation has named T. J. Roberts for Councilman. The Third ward has chosen H. M. Smith, the contractor, for Councilman, and C. S. Barnard for School Director. The Third ward has also recommended James K. Polk as Councilman-at-Large.

The Fourth ward has selected D. Johnson as Councilman and recommended J. M. Hassett at large.

In the Sixth ward H. D. Hougham is named.

E. M. Gannon is mentioned from the Second ward.

Two clubs are fighting for supremacy in the Seventh ward. There will be a contest in the convention unless matters are adjusted before the convention meets.

The People's Party Convention will be held at Sander's Hall, Tenth and Franklin streets. It will be called to order at 7:30 o'clock.

THEY MAY INDORSE.

Democrats Have Not Settled Plans as to Nominations.

Thus far there is little activity among the local Democrats. The City Central Committee has not had a meeting since the last campaign, and up to date no time has been fixed for opening the fight on the coming municipal battle. Inquiry made among prominent members of the party does not reveal any definite plan as yet formulated. In a general way, there seems to be an idea that the Democrats shall hold a convention and indorse a set of candidates whose names shall appear on other tickets, irrespective of party.

It is said the committee will get together in a few days and discuss the situation. Cleve Dam, who is chairman of the city committee, is preparing a call, but none has yet been determined upon.

M. J. Laymance, who is chairman of the Democratic County Committee, was asked to give his views this morning.

"I wish you would say for me," he replied, "that I am strictly out of politics. I have got all I can do to attend to my private business. Are the Democrats going to nominate a ticket? Well, I guess so. The talk is that they will hold an indorsing convention after the other political parties are through and select the best men available from them. That is all I know about local politics."

REPUBLICANS, PREPARE.

Headquarters Will Soon Be Opened on Broadway.

The Republican City Central Committee will open headquarters tomorrow in the Blaise and Moffitt building, corner Eighth street and Broadway. There is one question now most prominent in Republican circles, and that is who is the best man to lead the ticket at the coming election. The material from which to draw is excellent, and the only feature is the selection of the most fitting candidate, who will best represent the party and prove most acceptable to the citizens.

Under the plan which has been adopted for organizing the convention, the committee feels safe in declaring that it will be thoroughly representative in character and that its nominees will reflect the best judgment of the body which will make the selections.

The plan adopted has been warmly indorsed by leading Republicans. It is not a matter of doubt that the delegate selected by the conference committee will be thoroughly satisfactory. The committee today is canvassing the field for the names of those who they desire shall compose the committee on conference in choosing the delegate.

These names will probably not be announced for a day or so, as it is the intention of the committee to keep aloof almost entirely from any pressure.

Secretary Bishop is very hopeful that the convention will represent the very best element in the party. He is sanguine that the delegates when announced will prove highly acceptable to those who have the good government of the city at heart.

With this condition of affairs existing in the Republican ranks, it is a matter of difficulty to forecast the result of the convention in any particular. In a sense there are no candidates in the field as yet. The names which have been prominently mentioned in connection with the Mayoralty are George W. Reed, Councilman Barstow and J. W. Nelson.

Candidates for the other offices are not coming to the fore very rapidly as yet. City Treasurer Gilpin is in the fight for renomination. Grant I. Taggart has announced himself as a candidate for Auditor.

Councilman Mott of the First ward will seek indorsement, and D. S. Moulton is also in the field from the First. There will be a number of candidates for re-election among those who compose the present Council, though the fight has not yet reached an issue.

COUNCILMAN BARSTOW.

His Friends Say He Will Accept a Nomination.

There is strong talk on the street in favor of Councilman Barstow as the Republican nominee for Mayor. Mr. Barstow has made a good record as a Councilman, and has been an earnest friend and advocate of public improvements throughout his term, and friendship for public improvements is an essential quality in a candidate this year. Mr. Barstow, however, will not talk on the subject of his possible nomination. He is not seeking the nomination for Mayor or any office—that is well known among all his friends; but the belief prevails among them that if the Republican nomination for Mayor is tendered to him by the convention next Monday he will regard it as an honor that a sense of duty will compel him to accept.

LEAGUE CANDIDATES.

Two Prominently Mentioned for Mayor.

The Municipal League has fully decided to put a ticket in the field and two names have been prominent as candidates before it for the nomination for Mayor, Councilman John F. Towle and ex-Councilman J. W. Nelson.

Mr. Towle is serving his second term in the Council. During the years 1889-90, he represented the Second ward, and during the current term he is a Councilman-at-large. The first year of the current term, he served as President of the Council, and Acting-Mayor. He has made an acceptable representative during both terms, and his friends claim that he will make a good Mayor if he is nominated and elected.

Mr. Nelson served acceptably as Councilman from the Third ward during the years 1891-93. Through the first year of his term he was the presiding officer of the Council. His name was mentioned two years ago as a probable nominee of the Non-Partisan convention which put Mayor Pardee in nomination, he withdrawing in favor of Dr. Pardee before the convention met. He has a large following of earnest friends who will work hard to secure for him the Municipal League nomination for Mayor.

An Explanation Wanted.

Editor Tribune—Will you explain to your many readers why the Republican City Central Committee recognizes as a member a man who has been a non-resident of Oakland for the last eighteen months, and is not now a resident? Is it possible that no worthy Republican can be found to serve, or is it necessary for the success of some hidden scheme that this non-resident should be imported?

FOURTH WARD REPUBLICANS.

Oakland, January 24, 1895.

GUNS CAPTURED.

Japanese Have a Snap With Chinese Troops.

A Short Fight Resulted in a Retreat.

The Mikado's Men Will Soon Push the Enemy.

SHANGHAI, January 24.—The Chinese transport Sahuma Maru, which returned to Ukima yesterday, reports that she left the gulf of Talien Wan Saturday, January 19th, with other Japanese transports escorted by warships, and arrived off Yung Chang, not far from Wei Hai Wei, the Chinese war port on the Shan Tung peninsula, at daybreak Sunday, January 20th.

Ya Yeyama and other Japanese warships then landed detachments of marines, who met with but feeble resistance from Chinese troops, supported by four guns mounted ashore.

The fire of these guns was answered from the Japanese boats, and the Chinese eventually dispersed when the guns of the Japanese warships opened fire upon them.

The Japanese landing was effected without any loss being sustained by the invaders and the four guns, previously mentioned, were captured by the marines landed from the Ya Yeyama. Immediately afterward the landing of the Japanese troops began and was nearly completed when the Sahuma Maru left Yang Chang.

Monday last two English women, one German and one Chinese woman, who were found in charge of the Sham Tung lighthouse, were placed under the same pay as they had been receiving and were instructed in the interests of commercial and other traffic at sea to keep the light burning.

Civil Service Examinations.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—Civil Service examinations have been arranged as follows: March 29th, Cheyenne, Wyo.; April 1st, Pocatello, Idaho; April 3d, Salt Lake; April 18th, Tucson, Ariz.; April 19th, Los Angeles; April 22d, San Francisco; April 23d, Reno, Nev.; April 29th, Roseburg, Or.; May 1st, Portland, Or.; May 4th, Seattle; May 7th, Spokane; May 9th, Helena, Mont.

The Chicora Is Lost.

CHICAGO, January 24.—Late this afternoon a message was received from Captain Graham, one of the owners, saying that the Chicora is lost with all on board.

Damage by Fire.

NEW YORK, January 24.—A fire broke out in the kitchen of the Hotel Vendome at 7 o'clock and did $20,000 damage. There was no panic.

Death of a Prince.

YOKOHAMA, January 24.—Prince Arisugawa Taruhito, Chief of the General Staff, died of typhoid fever. He was 60 years of age.

GREAT DAMAGE.

Floods and Landslides in Sonoma County.

Narrow Escape of a Family From Death.

People in Guerneville Have to Travel in Boats.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., January 24.—The reports of damage done by the recent floods continue to come in. It is believed that the last storm was the most damaging of any had in Sonoma county for thirty years.

The Mark West creek overflowed its banks, nearly destroying two large wagon bridges and cutting up roads so that they are impassable for miles.

Communication with the unfortunate town of Guerneville has been re-established by telephone.

It will be at least ten days before train service can be resumed in that part of the country, as miles of track are gone.

The water in Guerneville is higher than it has been in thirty-five years, and has not yet receded, and people are traveling about the place in boats.

The Grand Central Hotel is the highest building in the town, and water is within eight inches of the floor.

It is impossible to tell what damage has been done.

The loss of household goods and provisions is very large.

The Sonoma Lumber Company is damaged by loss of lumber alone $5000.

A number of houses turned over by landslides and flood the first day of the storm have been swept away.

Three-quarters of a mile from Guerneville Sam Varney's family had almost a miraculous escape from death.

They saw a landslide coming and rushed out to the barn for protection, and had barely left the house when it was struck by the slide and crushed into a hundred pieces.

The next moment the entire structure slid into the Russian river and floated away.

At Riley's Mill, five miles away, a large hotel was demolished by the landslides.

The water is ten feet deep on the railroad bridge and a report has just been received that it has broken away from the banks and is going to pieces.

The wagon bridge is still intact, but may go at any time.

A PEACEFUL DEATH.

Lord Randolph Churchill Is at Rest.

LONDON, January 24.—Winston Churchill, son of the late Lord Randolph Churchill, says his father's death was peaceful and painless.

This morning a private funeral service for the family only was held at the Churchill residence on Grosvenor Square.

The mother of the late Lord Randolph Churchill, Frances Anne Emily, Duchess of Marlborough, wife of the seventh Duke of Marlborough, is seriously ill.

Lord Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill was the second son of the seventh Duke of Marlborough.

He was born on February 13, 1849, and was educated at Merton College, Oxford.

He leaves a widow and two sons.

MADE AN ASSIGNMENT.

A Savings Institution Closes its Doors.

ERIE, Pa., January 24.—The People's Saving Institution of North Erie made an assignment to E. A. Davis, cashier. The deposits are about $100,000.

Other liabilities make a total of $350,000.

The bank officers claim the assets amount to half a million.

A MISSING CREW.

A Barge Loaded With Powder, Shell and Shot Explodes.

GRAVESEND, Eng., January 24.—The Government barge Petrel, laden with gunpowder, shot and shell, exploded here this morning.

No trace of the crew has been found.

A Danish Consul.

COPENHAGEN, January 24.—Andrew Peterson of Chicago has been appointed Danish Consul for Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Colorado, Montana, Dakotas, Wyoming and Utah.

Coroner's Office at Albert Brown's, 337 Thirteenth street. Telephone 5.

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WAR FEARED.

Mexican Troops Are Sent to the Frontier.

Guatemalans Who Do Not Want to Fight.

Trying Hard to Work up a Feeling of Patriotism.

Co[illegible] State of Chiapas, Mex., January [illegible] The Government has pushed fresh forces to the Guatemalan frontier almost daily, and camp quarters for a large body of men have been arranged for near this place.

Many Guatemalans living in this vicinity have fled to Mexico rather than be pressed into an unwilling service.

Guatemala is using every effort to work up feelings of patriotism among the people. Nearly every horse for 100 miles from the border has been secured by one means or another.

The uncompromising policy of the Guatemalan Government is having a disastrous effect upon the public order.

Fugitives from fear an invasion of mounted levies in Guatemala are arriving almost daily.

It is generally felt that should a war occur the frontier will be so overrun by troops and parties of renegades that life will be unsafe.

Fugitive Guatemalans are arriving almost daily.

It is rumored many revolters from Guatemala are for but safe for the most part native-born Mexicans, who have taken up a residence in Guatemala.

Large parties are on their way from Quetzaltenango, Northern Guatemala, to join the insurgent band, or crossing with the purpose of enlisting against the Government.

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[illegible] Mex., January [illegible] It is reported that the armed [illegible] between Zarauz and Guatemala [illegible] off the harbor of San Jose is not true.

The chief ship was loaded with munitions of war for Mazatlan or the unpopular Pacific coast tribunals on the Southern coast. Having charged a commission, it is now on a round trip to Mazatlan, where it will await further orders.

[illegible] January 21.—With an immense demonstration of the students in the capital the war feeling throughout the republic has been roused to a fever heat.

Reports from the interior points show a rising spirit of patriotism among the people and it is probable that other great popular uprisings will occur in the near future.

A feature of the meetings was a letter by the Guatemalan republic to the United States of Guatemala, and it has left a profound impression on the students.

Quietude is past, although efforts at patriotic demonstrations are easily detectible.

The movement is rapidly [illegible]

[illegible] probably be possible to raise [illegible] men in this city alone in a few weeks if the Government [illegible]

A Guatemalan in Guatemala says that the Spanish Minister in Madrid will not [illegible] way in the Guatemala situation with Mexico.

The indications are that Barrios [illegible] confident, expects and feels spurred on to course of the bold stand.

THE CONVENTS.

Subject of Mrs Bruner's Lecture This Evening.

The Catholic church of Christ formed the subject of Miss Jane Woodworth Bruner's lecture yesterday afternoon at Hamilton Hall. The lady spoke to a large audience which by attentive remarks [illegible] the truth of her statements.

Mrs Bruner is a high talented and cultured woman and a fine lecturer. Her lecture in detail is a clear and elaborate study of the [illegible]

It is with pleasure we congratulate ourselves at the fact that yesterday's lecture may be delivered [illegible]

[illegible] The subject will be "Convent Horrors." Those who not yet yesterday expressed their intention to attend the evening [illegible]

COMPROMISED.

A Widow Gets Damages for Her Husband's Death.

Mrs [illegible] Lynch sued the Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company for $[illegible] damages by reason of the death of her husband, James F. Lynch, who was killed by being run over by one of the company's cars. The deceased was [illegible] the death of Mr. Lynch's husband, James F. Lynch, who was killed by being run over by one of the company's cars. The deceased was [illegible] wagon along McPherson street and was run into by a West Oakland car [illegible] Clay avenue. The plaintiff's attorneys were Messrs. Lynch and Lynch, and those of the defendant were Messrs. [illegible]

COURT NOTES.

J. S. Carr has commenced suit against Mrs. [illegible] Frank and the Union Savings Bank to foreclose a street assessment lien for [illegible] for street work alleged to have been performed on East Twenty-first street. Carr also sues M. A. Taylor and Jane Weeks for $[illegible]. McFadden is attorney for the plaintiff.

The Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company has notified the attorneys for Mr. Susan Hommel that it will move to have the costs in the case retaxed. The company claims that Mrs. Hommel's cost bill was premature, they filed.

The trial of Perry Johnson's suit against Mary Dixon was this morning continued to April 1st.

Eric Erickson's trial for forgery went over till January [illegible]

G. D. Vincent has filed an amended complaint in his suit against W. J. Perry and others to recover $[illegible] for money loaned and advanced.

W. S. Harlow has filed his bond in the sum of $100 as commissioner to sell the property involved in the suit of John Schuneck against M. L. Wurster et al. His sureties are [illegible] Graber and H. L. Osgood.

Jane Cheney and Oliver Cheney have demurred to the complaint of Charles Armstrong on the ground that it does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause for action.

No Money for an Engine House

The rejection of bids for the proposed new fire engine house on Twenty-fifth street, has relegated that project to the very dim future. The lack of funds will prevent anything further being done until the next fiscal year.

A HEAVY LOSS.

The Oakland Home Business Is Discussed.

A Complete Report Made to the Stockholders.

Secretary Sites Tells the Story of the Failure.

When THE TRIBUNE went to press yesterday afternoon the meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Home Insurance Company was still in progress.

Assistant Secretary Sites presented an interesting report, in which he made a complete showing of the condition of the company. Mr. Sites said:

During the year 1893 the gross premiums written by the company aggregated in round numbers nearly $[illegible] or an average of $[illegible] per month. The company to this time had gained a degree of popularity gratifyingly pleasing to its promoters, but at the same time it provoked the enmity of certain rivals who saw in the business held by the company certain districts turned loose the tongue of slander and innuendo persistently which gaining color and credence by the withdrawal of the Western department and the unfavorable criticism of newspapers caused the business to drop for a period of five months in 1894 to the insignificant sum of $3,000 or an average of $[illegible] per month gross.

But two alternatives were left to your Board of Directors either to liquidate the business through a receiver or to reinsure. The latter method was determined upon as policy holders were thus simply protected and the bonds of the company preserved. The preliminaries were therefore arranged and the final contract of reinsurance was signed with the Firemen's Fund Insurance Company of San Francisco.

During the net income of the Pacific department of $[illegible] handled by the home office was $[illegible] showing a gain from business of $[illegible] in the Pacific department of $[illegible] for the same period the net income of the Western department was $[illegible] showing a loss of business in this department of $[illegible]. For the year 1893 the net premiums collected from the business of the Pacific department were $[illegible] showing a shrinkage of $[illegible]. For the same period the net premiums collected from the Western department business was $[illegible], showing a shrinkage of $101,[illegible].

From these foregoing complications it appears that the shrinkage for the years 1893 and 1894 were as follows:

Western department 1893	$[illegible]
Western department 1894	[illegible]
Pacific department 1894	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]
Less gain in Pacific department for	[illegible]
Leaving, actual shrinkage of business so far as income	$[illegible]

In addition to this the company paid for two years as follows: Losses $[illegible]; dividends $[illegible]; dividend eight months of 1894, $[illegible]; losses through bad accounts $11,[illegible]; in reinsurance losses of Western department $[illegible]; reinsure the Pacific department $[illegible]; paid on account of bills payable $[illegible], making a grand total of $[illegible].

To meet this excessive drain the company was forced to call in its mortgages, to sell its real estate bonds, stocks and other investments and realized therefrom as follows: From rent $[illegible]; from interest $[illegible]; from mortgages $1[illegible],100; from real estate, $1,[illegible]; from stocks $[illegible]; from bonds, $10,000; savings banks $1,[illegible]; special agents $[illegible]; warrants $[illegible]; assessment of September 1894, $100,000; bills payable (on new borrowed) $11,000, a grand total of $[illegible].

During the two years 1893 and 1894 the company received from all sources in round numbers the sum of $[illegible]. Out of this payments were made as follows: Losses net $[illegible]; cancellations net $[illegible]; commissions net, $[illegible]; reinsuring the company $[illegible]; borrowed money, $[illegible]; all other items $[illegible], making a total of $[illegible] and leaving a balance on hand on January 1, 1895, of $[illegible]. The net loss in the Western department was $[illegible] made up of the following items: Loss in Western department net $1,[illegible]; sum reinsurance loss $20,[illegible]; cost of reinsuring the Western department net $1,7[illegible].

It must be borne in mind that the monthly income of the Western department was always more than absorbed by its own losses and expenses so that it was never a source of revenue to the home office. On the contrary the home office took out and to bear the burden of the Western department in insurance reserve liability, but from its own hell had to furnish the money and protect the policy holders of that department. It is now apparent that the Western department was the direct cause of the shrinkage of the income of the company, the income from the Pacific department having more than doubled the amount of the income of the Western department.

The committee appointed will examine the books and report at the meeting to be held February [illegible].

BOLD ROBBERS.

They Rent an Agent and Rob a Safe.

SUTHERLAND, Tex., January 21.—Masked men rode to the railway and express office here, and demanded of the agent, Adams, the safe's contents.

After a severe beating Adams opened the safe, and the robbers took $1500.

The citizens undertook to stop the robbers.

A sharp battle took place, but the highwaymen escaped to the Blanco swamp.

A posse started in pursuit and returned with four prisoners — Crane, Thompson, Denton and Flowers. The posse is still scouring the country for the others.

"Convent Doors Must Be Opened"

TUESDAY, January 22, 1895—8 P. M.

"Why Priests Do Not Marry"

(For Ladies Only)

WEDNESDAY, January 23—2:30 P. M.

"Convent Horrors"

THURSDAY, January 24—8 P. M.

Jane Woodworth Bruner

Will address the citizens of Oakland on the dates mentioned above at

HAMILTON HALL

14TH AND JEFFERSON STS.

MRS. BRUNER has spent the best part of her life, and a fortune, in acquiring knowledge sufficient to enable her to state facts without fear of Papal contradiction, and is to day the best informed speaker on Catholicism in this country. These lectures are replete with historical statistics and many startling facts which have never been made public to the world. The lecture to ladies only is wonderful and thrilling in its exposure on the methods employed in allurring some of the brightest and fairest of our young womanhood into lives which are a thousand times worse than death. Enough will be said upon the subject of the two evening lectures to make it come home. This is a subject of vital importance to all, and every true American at heart should promptly respond to the crying need of a speedy reform. Come everybody and sign the petition to the Legislature. We require your assistance.

Admission - 25 Cents

Just enough to pay expenses.

AN EXCITING FIRE.

Forty People Escape From a Burning Building.

CHICAGO, January 24.—The fashionable three-story boarding house of the Wilson sisters, 2[illegible] Michigan avenue, was gutted by fire this morning.

The forty people in the house were still abed.

Six were taken from the top story by firemen.

Two women were carried out unconscious, but none were fatally injured, however.

All the furniture and private property were destroyed.

GETTING TIRED.

The Strikers Are About Ready to Quit.

Police Have Another Battle With a Mob.

Cars Are Run Under the Protection of Militiamen.

BROOKLYN, January 24.—About [illegible] o'clock this morning the Seventeenth precinct police had a lively fight with wire-cutting strikers at Broadway and Sumpter streets, and captured two.

One was so badly clubbed that he was taken to the station in an ambulance.

Fifty non-union men left the Flushing avenue stables this morning to open a cross town line. The cars were guarded by four policemen and the Eighth Battalion.

The first car which left the stables was held up at Franklin street and Green Point avenue by strikers.

All the windows were broken, but the police used their clubs freely and the car was taken through the riot.

The motorman was hit by a brick and flying glass. No one else was injured.

At [illegible] o'clock the Court street car was stoned at Hamilton and Court streets. The crowd was dispersed by the police.

At strike headquarters today it is the general opinion that the big strike has about run its course. The strikers seemed despondent. There will be a conference this afternoon, it is said, to discuss the propriety of calling off the strike.

BROOKLYN, January 24.—Thomas Kearney, the roofer who was [illegible] the house-top by a militiaman, on Flushing street yesterday, is dead.

STEALING NEWS.

A Bill Designed to Prevent the Tapping of Wires.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—There was quite a meager attendance at the opening of the Senate today. A Senator called attention to the absence of a quorum and said a roll call was necessary.

Among the bills introduced was one by Chandler (Rep.) to prevent the tapping of telegraph wires used by the news associations.

This is to prevent stealing news and was made necessary by recent developments in Chicago, where various other associations, by means of wire-tapping, were making use of the Associated Press news.

In the discussion of Lodge's Hawaiian resolution in the Senate today George of Mississippi made a careful argument to show that there was no popular suffrage and no real republican form of government in Hawaii.

WILL RETALIATE.

City Officials at Stockton to Make a New Move.

STOCKTON, Cal., January 24.—The City Council and officials propose to separate the city from San Joaquin county by extending the city limits to an area six by eight miles, forming a city and county of Stockton, because the county refuses to contribute to the fund for protecting the city from overflow by the drainage system.

A Roof Blaze

An alarm was turned in at 7 o'clock last night for a roof fire at 1161 Market street caused by a defective flue. The blaze was extinguished with nominal damages. The edifice—a two-story frame building—is owned by a Mrs Collins.

A Council Committee Meeting

A meeting of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee of the Council will be held tonight.

IN COURT.

Argument on the Special Election Case.

A Request to Have the Judges Sit in Banc.

Both Sides Represented by Able Legal Talent.

The petition for the writ of mandate to compel the Mayor and members of the City Council to cause to be submitted to the qualified electors of this city, at a general or special election, the questions of amendments to the city charter was called in Judge Ogden's court this morning.

There was a large number of citizens present because it was known that if the writ should be granted it would have the effect of doing away with the special charter amendment election which has been called for Saturday next.

The petitioners, Orrin Page and John Trotter, were represented by Attorney George H. De Golia and Harry S. Brown represented certain private interest.

The city was represented by City Attorney Johnson and Messrs. W. H. Davis and Earl H. Loe, city water front counsel.

When the case had been called Colonel Gray, a prominent member of the Municipal League, arose and addressed the court.

He said that while he was not an attorney he desired to state that he thought it would be more proper for his honor, Judge Ogden, and at the same time afford a great deal more satisfaction to the public if the matter could be heard in banc.

Judge Ogden said he would be willing to have the case heard in the manner suggested if the counsel in the case would secure the consent of other judges to sit in the premises.

The case was then continued for one hour.

Upon retiring he conferred upon Judges Hayworth and Finck and placed the matter before them and received the assurance that they would be pleased to sit with Judge Ogden in the case.

The case was no opened until ten minutes when the judges named appeared on the bench.

Will Davis made a clear answer which it said was in effect a demurrer setting out that the petition would not confer the remedy sought.

Mr. De Golia then addressed the court. He contended that under the constitution and the city charter which latter embraced in some respects the political code of the State, it has no right to call a special election for the purposes specified.

He showed that the amendments submitted could be put before the people only at a general or special election.

A general election is one held in November every two years, a special election was one held in May.

A special election is one called to fill a vacancy in office.

This he claimed was not the time for a general election and there is no vacancy in office to be filled.

The argument is in progress as THE TRIBUNE goes to press.

HEART FAILURE.

Lieutenant J. A. Turner Stricken With a Fatal Attack.

Lieutenant J. A. Turner, who recently retired from the United States Marine Corps, died suddenly at the Occidental Hotel, San Francisco, yesterday morning. He had been suffering from heart troubles for a year or more, and it was owing to this that he succumbed.

The deceased officer had a large circle of friends in San Francisco, and his death will deeply mourn his numerous friends. He was extremely popular with his associates in the navy.

Lieutenant Turner married Miss Belle Oliva, a sister of Frank Sullivan, some years ago. He was appointed to the marine corps from Texas in 1[illegible] and in 18[illegible] was promoted to a lieutenancy. For some time he was stationed at Mare Island.

Lieutenant Turner was [illegible] years of age and leaves a child besides his widow.

A HOME PRIDE.

Hook's Furniture Store, Largest in the West.

The largest furniture store west of Chicago is located in Oakland. The credit for this belongs to Hook, the well known furniture man who has been in business in this city for many years, and whose furniture has been the pride of hundreds of the comfortable homes and cottages throughout the Pacific States.

Hook's [illegible] is a leviathan establishment, and is a marvel of business enterprise and is a marvel of business enterprise and is a marvel of business enterprise

ELITE CONCERT.

Soloists of Scheel Will Appear Tomorrow Night.

Some of the most distinguished soloists of Scheel's orchestra, men who are known to every lover of music, will appear in a grand concert in Elite Hall, tomorrow night. Among these performers is Herr Reiter, the celebrated French horn player, who has a world renowned reputation. There are several other excellent musicians on the programme, every one of whom will afford a great deal of pleasure to the audience. These performers have been secured at great expense and yet the price of admission will be only 50 cents.

The programme is as follows:

Grand sinfonie, part I (Op. 9 No. 1) ..... M. de Pleyel
string quartet and piano.
'Cello solo, "Andante" ..... G. Goltermann
Herr H. Brandt Jr.
Flute solo, fantasie de Chopin ..... Doppler
Herr A. Hollemann.
Violin solo, fantasie (Op. 19) ..... Ruby
Herr H. Mollenhauer.
French horn solo, rural scene, romance ..... Meyerbeer
Herr Joseph Reiter.
Act I., *Huguenots*, with viola obligato and piano.....
H. Schuey and L. Brandt.
Intermission.
Nocturno, for violin, French horn and piano.....
Messrs. Mollenhauer, Hollemann, Reiter, Brandt.
Viola solo, "Traumerei" ..... Marschner
H. Schuey.
String quartet, Reminiscenz ..... Joseph Reiter
Messrs. Mollenhauer, Pupke, Schuey, Brandt.
Duet for horn and flute, serenade..... Till
Messrs. Reiter and Hollemann.
With quartet accompaniment.

[Official.]

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Adjourned Regular Meeting, Monday, January 21, 1895.

The board at 10 o'clock A. M. Roll was called and the following members were present: Supervisors Talcott, Church, Pelouze and Chairman Bailey.

Absent—Supervisor Johnston.

Minutes of the last meeting held January 14, 1895, were read and approved.

The following applications for relief were made by the following named persons:

By Mrs. J. G. Darnal for Mrs. Martha M. Clark, a native of New York, residence, 612 Ninth street, widow, five children.

Referred to Supervisor Church with power.

Isaac E. Beizer, a native of Mississippi, residence, 569 Seventh street, married, one child.

Referred to Hospital Committee.

M. Knapp, a native of Ohio, residence, corner Seventh and Pine streets.

Sent to Hospital.

Margaret Waters, a native of Maryland, residence, 266 Sixth street, married, one child.

Referred to Supervisor Church with power.

Maurice Pacheco, a native of Portugal, residence, 22 Twenty-third avenue, married, four children.

Referred to Supervisor Johnston.

George Cadlin. Referred to Hospital Committee.

John Pendergast. This application was, upon motion of Supervisor Church, rejected.

Henrietta Buhr, a native of Ireland, residence, 2034 Union street, widow, one child.

Referred to Supervisor Pelouze.

Virginia Miller, a native of Portugal, residence, 712 Myrtle street, married, no children.

Referred to Supervisor Church.

Mrs. E. A. Warner, a native of Ireland, residence, 790 Third street, married, one child.

Referred to Supervisor Church.

A communication was received from Frank N. Way asking for free license to peddle fruit and vegetables. It was rejected and the statement made that the standing rule of the board prohibited any such permit.

The following reports were received from the county officers:

D. W. Martin showing that he had allowed indigents for December, 1894, $153, number of indigents assisted 119. Also report for month of January, 1895, showing amount allowed indigents $150, number assisted 119.

Ordered filed.

Report of Thomas Cline, foreman in San Lorenzo road district was received, showing list of tools on hand.

Referred to Supervisor Talcott.

Henry Behrens, road foreman of Vallecitos road district reported for July 1st to December 31, 1894.

Referred to Supervisor Bailey.

A statement from William Brophy, Justice of the Peace, for month of December, 1894.

Ordered filed.

From Fred C. Clift, Justice of the Peace.

Ordered filed.

The following requisitions were received viz: From Henry Darnest asking for 250 note books.

Referred to the Building Committee.

From F. B. Ogden, A. L. Frick, C. B. White, Frank C. Jordan and Charles F. Snock asking for "Harlow's Duties of Sheriffs and Constables."

Also from Charles H. Barber asking for certain articles of stationery.

Granted as to items included in contract for stationery, otherwise referred to Building Committee.

From Chas. H. Spear asking for certain stationery.

Granted as to items on schedule or included in contract, otherwise referred to Building Committee.

A communication was received from Ingler & Atkinson offering to make improvements in the County Recorder's office, as mentioned in communication, for the sum of $300. Supervisor Church stated that the changes mentioned were necessary, that he had obtained another bid from Towle & Broadwell for the sum of $385.

Upon motion the contract was granted to Ingler & Atkinson for $300.

A communication was received from the Golden Gate Improvement Club in reference to the condition of streets, crossings, sidewalks, and in fact the entire district of Golden Gate, and asking that the board take such measures as are necessary to ascertain the true cause of the trouble and have the evils corrected.

Referred to Supervisor Pelouze.

Also a communication from the Golden Gate Improvement Club informing the board that a committee of seven had been appointed by the club to confer with the Board of Supervisors and asking that a committee of the board be appointed to meet for the purpose of devising some remedy for the evils complained of in the matter of public streets, etc.

Upon motion the matter was referred to a Committee of the Whole, and Thursday, at 10 o'clock, was fixed as the time when the committee would visit Golden Gate and investigate.

A communication was received from John Flanagan, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County, stating that the Board of Supervisors of that county had decided to urge representatives at Sacramento to amend Section 2041 of the Political Code, Statutes 1893; also Section 2562 Political Code, Statutes 1891; also asking that this board cooperate with them and secure the desired amendments.

Ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from John E. Rincke calling attention to the application on file petitioning for appointment of himself and wife as steward and stewardess of County Receiving Hospital and asking for the consideration of the board.

Ordered filed.

The application of J. H. Rourke for permit to obtain license which was laid over from last meeting because bond was imperfect was again read, the bond examined and approved and application referred to Judiciary Committee.

A protest was received from J. P. Hayes against the granting of a permit for liquor license for Mrs. B. Giacometti on the ground that Camille Digneau was not a citizen of Alameda County, nor on the Great Register of Precinct No. 2, Temescal.

The clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Hayes that it would be necessary for him to give more satisfactory proof at the next meeting of the board.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the applications of the following named persons, viz:

Mary McConnell, Hollis street, at entrance to Race Track; J. H. Rourke, Stockyards; Christian Petersen, San Lorenzo, Cal.; J. E. Guy, Midway; John Logan, Niles; Frank Ora, Central avenue and San Leandro road.

Appropiate resolutions granting to them permit to obtain licenses were duly passed by the board.

County Treasurer O. M. Sanford asked that certain wires be repaired running between his office and that of the sheriff.

Referred to the Building Committee.

Supervisor Talcott asked that a committee of the whole visit and inspect certain bridges and roads in his district.

Upon motion the committee of the whole decided to make inspection asked for on Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

Supervisor Talcott also drew the attention of the board to the condition of the Blue Hill road in Redwood canyon, and stated that it was not safe to open the gates across it and that he had instructed them to keep the gates closed.

Mr. Laugan again called the board's attention to B street, Haywards, and asked for investigation by the board.

Taken under advisement.

Supervisor Church asked that the board fix a day to visit the County Receiving Hospital as a body.

No action taken.

The board then took a recess until 2 o'clock. The board met at 2 o'clock. Roll called—all members present.

The Building Committee reported favorably on the requisition of J. P. Garlick for check punch and numbering stamp, and upon motion the request was allowed.

Supervisor Church introduced the following resolution, which was read by the Clerk:

"*Resolved*, That Fred A. Davis be, and he is hereby employed as Expert to examine, inspect, and expert monthly the books and accounts of each and every department of the County Government of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to examine, inspect and expert monthly the books and accounts of each and every county officer of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Be it further

Resolved, that the said employment of said Fred A. Davis as such Expert, commence on the 1st day of February, 1895, and that the same continue until the authority conferred upon said Fred A. Davis by this resolution be revoked by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Alameda. Be it further

Resolved, That the said Fred A. Davis as such Expert aforesaid, be, and he is hereby required to present to the said Board of Supervisors and file with the clerk of said Board of Supervisors, on the first day of each and every month, during his employment as such Expert, a written report showing the result of such inspection, examination and expertise of said books and accounts during the preceding month. Be it further

Resolved, That the said Fred A. Davis, as such Expert, be paid out of the County General fund of the County of Alameda the sum of $125 per month as compensation for his services as such Expert.

The same was duly seconded.

Mr. Talcott moved to amend as follows: To employ an expert to expert the books and accounts of all county officers and report to this body the condition of the county finances in all the funds and departments on January 7, 1895, at 12 M.

The amendment did not receive a second.

The roll was called upon the original resolution and the following vote was given:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Pelouze and Chairman Bailey.

Noes—Supervisors Talcott and Johnston.

Upon motion of Supervisor Church the bond of the Expert was fixed at $5000.

The following requisitions were received from county officers, viz:

A. W. White asking for certain plumbing; also from County Clerk asking for two gas lamps and connecting pipe.

All the requisitions were referred to the Building Committee.

The clerk called the attention of the board to his receipt from E. A. Heron of a deed giving a certain piece of land in Oakland township for a street to be called Laurel street.

Upon motion the same was received and the clerk was ordered to record the same, and Laurel street in the Piedmont Villa tract was duly declared a county road and public highway by a unanimous vote.

The petition for abandonment of Road No. 653 in Alvarado Road district was then brought up for hearing on the petition and protest. Mr. E. Nusbaumer appeared for petitioners; Mr. Welles Whitmore appeared for protestants. The petition was read by the Clerk. The following witnesses were sworn and testified in behalf of the petitioners: W. F. Boardman, E. B. Granger, J. C. Whipple, Samuel Poorman, C. K. Sumert and Edwin Whipple. The testimony was then closed for the petitioners. Mr. Whitmore in behalf of the protestants presented to the board and had read by the Clerk protests signed by S. O. Putnam and four others, by Maude Webber, E. P. Kerrison and I. Beretta and four others. The request of Charles Rieser withdrawing his name from the petition for abandonment was also read. Mr. Whitmore then had read the protest filed December 3, 1894, to which Mr. Nusbaumer entered a formal objection on the ground that it had no relevancy or pertinency to the matter before the board. Mr. Whitmore then introduced the following witnesses, who were sworn and gave testimony, viz: John Quigley, Antone Lee, Edward E. Foley, Patrick Matthews, Philip Gibbon, George Althauser, Franz Behrman and Daniel Riley.

The testimony being all in the matter was upon motion taken under advisement.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

The District Attorney reported upon the following named bills: As to bill of Dr. E. H. Woolsey for $60, that the sum of $45 presented under date of December 28, 1894, was a legal and proper charge, the three other items of $15 each, dated September 6, 1887, February 14, 1891, and November 16, 1892, could not be paid by the board.

The District Attorney also reported favorably upon the bill of E. Gieske for $18. He said that it was a proper charge and when properly certified to, to the satisfaction of the board, should be paid.

He also reported favorably upon the bill of Angus Browning for $32.

Concerning the bill of T. B. Wells he recommended that the same be referred to the foreman of Dublin Road district for some changes and corrections which, when made, would entitle it to payment by the board.

In the matter of the Centerville Jail the District Attorney stated that it would be necessary to advertise for plans and specifications, and he was directed by the board to prepare and advertise and to limit expenditure to the sum of $350.

The Hospital Committee to whom had been referred the applications of Amelia Borga, Paula Harris and Joseph Whiteside, filed January 14th, reported against the allowance of their applications and, on motion, the report was adopted.

There being no further business to transact the board adjourned to meet Monday, January 28th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

Attest:
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

On Her Thumb She Wore a Little Ring.

Marie Heath for several years has worn a little ring upon her thumb, and though a dashing soubrette with the Turkish Bath Company, in the role of "Dot, the Kid," is 48 years of age, and plays the part admirably.

The People's Express and Transfer Company has not been established 48 years, nor do they wear rings upon their thumbs.

But it is known as being the largest and best express service in Oakland, proven by the fact that it was the only company that could handle the last large theatrical attraction whose property and scenery took a whole ferryboat to transfer it across the bay. The procession as it went up Broadway attracted as much attention as a circus procession. It checks baggage to all parts of the United States from your residence or hotel. Office 418 Ninth street.

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In your lungs are the Homes of Consumption Germs. The diseased spots are wiped out with new tissue made by

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the Cream of Cod-liver Oil, and hypophosphites. This acts immediately upon the Lungs and makes new tissue there. *Physicians*, the world over, endorse it.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—HORSES TO BOARD AT CURRENT rates, and excellent care taken, will take cost of same out in trade. Apply 313 Eleventh street, Oakland.

DRESSMAKERS.

MRS. J. A. JORDAN FASHIONABLE dressmaker. Abrahamson Building, room 15, Thirteenth and Washington streets. Patterns of all kinds cut to order; S. T. Taylor's system taught. Pupils taken any time, all reasonable prices.

STYLISH DRESSMAKER WOULD LIKE engagements in families; $1 50 per day; suits made any style to home $4 and $5; cuts by Taylor system; children's clothes also. 2147 Telegraph avenue.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

OFFICE DESKS AT THE SCHREIBER FURNITURE CO., 1157 and 1159 Washington street.

LAUNDRIES.

OAKLAND FRENCH LAUNDRY, P. CALOU & Co., 690 Twenty-ninth street; same rates as San Francisco and Contra Costa laundries; best work at cheapest rates; curtains done in first-class style. Telephone 815.

WANTED—SITUATIONS, FEMALE

A FIRST-CLASS COOK, 2 SECOND GIRLS, good seamstress, housekeeper, general housework and nurse girls, coachman, gardeners, etc: employers can depend upon getting just such servants as they desire, by leaving their orders with the SCANDINAVIAN AND GERMAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 921 Broadway, southwest corner of Ninth street.

A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN WANTS A SITUation for housework for a widower with children or in private family; city or country. Call at 910 Franklin street.

A YOUNG GIRL WISHES A SITUATION to do second work; willing and obliging; four years in the last place. Please call at 814 Twenty-eighth street.

A SWEDISH-AMERICAN, FIRST-CLASS cook, wants situation; first-class references; no objection to a short distance in the country. Call at 831 Franklin street.

A GERMAN GIRL LATELY FROM THE East wishes situation to do gene al housework; is a good cook; wages $20. Address E. S., box 4, this office.

A MIDDLE AGED LADY WANTS TO TAKE care of a child and do sewing or very light upstairs work. Address M. D., box 3, this office.

GOOD DRESSMAKER WOULD LIKE WORK in families, $1 per day, or will take work home; suits made, $4 and $5. Address 2147 Telegraph avenue.

NEAT GERMAN GIRL WANTS SITUATION to do general housework. Call or address M. W., 793 Grove street.

SITUATION WANTED BY AN AMERICAN woman to do upstairs work, care for an invalid, or will do light housework. Address 1264 East Tenth street.

SITUATION WANTED BY AN EXPERienced woman to care for a baby or children and sewing; will sleep at home; good references. Address E. R., box 4, this office.

WANTED—SITUATIONS FOR COMPETENT Welsh second girl, four years in last place; also second girl five years in last place; cooks of all nationalities, good girls for general housework, girls to assist. Call at 1153 Washington street.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A NEAT Swedish girl to do second work or general housework; wages $20. Please address Miss E. G., this office.

WANTED—HELP, FEMALE.

WANTED—A GERMAN GIRL FOR general housework and cooking; references required. Apply 1528 Lafayette street, Alameda.

WANTED—SITUATIONS, MALE

A RESPONSIBLE MAN WISHES A SITUAtion to do any kind of work; is willing to do hard work. Address L. O., box 2, this office.

MIDDLE-AGED, SINGLE MAN, AMERICAN, employed 4½ years in last place, wants situation as driver, care of horses and general man about place; good milker; for reference, last employer in Oakland. Address B., box 2, this office.

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG man a position as driver for milk, bakery or grocery business; is well acquainted with the city. Address M., box 4, this office.

SITUATION WANTED BY A RELIABLE trustworthy young man as coachman and gardener; can milk and make himself general useful around place; good references. Please address B. B., box 4, this office.

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A. A. MOORE, SOUTHEAST CORNER OF Ninth and Broadway.

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THE WEATHER.

[illegible] Northern California: Fair, probably rain in high land along the central and southern coasts in the morning; frosts tonight; fresh northerly winds.

[illegible] Fair; stationary temperature; fresh northerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON, Local Forecast Official.

THREE DAYS [illegible]

It is in order to look out for the report of another Japanese victory and the fall of the stronghold of Wei-Hai-Wei for the customary Chinese report of a Japanese repulse accompanied with tremendous slaughter, which has invariably preceded such news, has already come to hand from Chee-Loo.

A BILL CONSTITUTIONAL has been introduced in the Senate to provide for an investigation of the election frauds in San Francisco and the reported crookedness in the Police Department. The first has already been established, the second is strongly suspected to exist, but the depth of iniquity in either case is not known. The Lexow Senate Committee of New York has shown how to get at the root of such evils.

The round-up of vagrants is being carried out with vigor, for which the police are entitled to credit. The only thing to be regretted is that the raid was not begun long ago, for the vagrants, through the "Industrial Army" organization, have mulked the town of its charity, which was the just due of the worthy poor, and they have intimidated the people of this city all winter without any other interference.

The Japanese Government has officially denied the reported atrocities at Port Arthur, and James Creelman, the war correspondent, who was responsible for the publication of the report, is on his way home in response to a recall. His usefulness as a correspondent at the front had been destroyed, whether his reports were true or imaginary, for the Japanese Government had revoked his pass, which left him without any privileges.

The great floods which have recently prevailed in San Diego county are filling the bay of San Diego with detritus. The *Union* says the Tia Juana, Otay and Sweetwater rivers have shoaled the upper end of the bay nearly one foot and brought down enough mud to shoal the entire bay at least two inches. The flood also overflowed the dyke constructed by the Federal Government to turn the waters of the San Diego river into False bay, and did some damage at the north end of San Diego bay. The *Union* calls on the Supervisors to save the latter.

GLADSTONE has a senior in the House of Commons in the person of Charles Villiers, who is styled the Father of the Commons. Villiers recently celebrated his 90th birthday. He entered Parliament in 1835, and has represented Wolverhampton without a break for sixty years. He was one of the leaders in the fight for the repeal of the Corn laws. His brother was the Earl of Clarendon, who was Foreign Secretary during the Crimean war and in Mr. Gladstone's first administration. But Villiers has been for nearly half a century a nonentity in the British Parliament, while Gladstone has been so strong a personality that every act he has performed and almost every word he has uttered have left their impress upon the events of his day and generation, and his name will go down in history as one of the most remarkable men of any nation and any age. Villiers will be forgotten as soon as he passes away.

The death of Lord Randolph Churchill has been long expected. Churchill began his public career with every promise of a brilliant future, but he soon developed such erratic traits that he could not be relied upon by any faction in Parliament. This was later on attributed to the morphine habit, which he contracted during his college days. It clung to him through life, destroyed his intellect, undermined his constitution, ruined his health and brought him to the grave at an age when most men are at their best, physically and intellectually. Churchill was only 46 years of age. Over ten years ago he broke down, and since then he has been a mental and physical wreck, seeking the ease and health which never came in travel abroad. He was a man who attracted considerable attention in this country, because of his marriage to the daughter of Leonard Jerome of New York, who was counted in her day one of the handsomest women on two continents. Two sons survive as the issue of that marriage. The eldest may inherit the Dukedom of Marlborough—one of the famous ducal coronets in England—as a feeble, unmarried cousin is all that stands between him and it. The Churchills are the next in the line of succession.

Practical Ideas in Road-Building.

Next month a State Road Convention will be held at Sacramento. Among those expected to be present is General Roy Stone, Special Agent and Engineer of the Department of Road Inquiry, which is connected with the United States Department of Agriculture. The latter department has been giving much attention to the subject of general road improvement all over the country, that being a subject intimately associated with the great industry to whose interests the department is particularly devoted.

Good country roads mean everything to the farmer. The cost of every pound of his produce that is hauled to market is affected by the condition of the roadway over which the hauling must be done. The capacity of the work horse enters largely into the economy of the farm. If the roads over which that animal is required to do his work are bad, his load must necessarily be lessened and his value is, to some extent, reduced. This is very clearly illustrated by some facts which General Stone submitted in an address delivered last June at the Southern Immigration and Industrial Congress, which was held at Augusta, Ga. He cited the little city of Oakhurst, in the Hartz Mountains, which owns a spruce forest of 7000 acres. By careful management the forest permits an annual cut of 00,000 cubic feet of wood and pays a net revenue of $20,000 per annum. "Within a few years," said General Stone, "the city has macadamized the leading roads through the forest, and a very careful system of accounts shows the following results: Full load on old road, 8½ to 10 cubic feet, full load on new road, 17½ to 20 feet. Average cost of hauling per 1000 feet B. M., old road $2.70, average cost of hauling per 1000 feet B. M., new road, $1.70, saving per 1000 feet B. M., cost of improvements, $20,000, profit per annum, 10 per cent."

General Stone's address took a decidedly practical form. He not only pointed out the value of good roads, but has also suggested how they may be economically built. He believes that State Prison convicts could be usefully and profitably employed in the preparation of metal for the macadamizing of country roads and that county prisoners and tramps should be employed in grading and other preparatory work on the roads. "By using the best machinery for crushing stone, and employing the convicts only in quarrying and handling it," says General Stone, "an amount of material could be produced sufficient to macadamize all the roads in the State as fast as they could be prepared, and, in addition, to furnish ballast for the railroads as a consideration for their giving reduced rates on road materials." These are suggestions which could be easily applied in road-building in this State. The Folsom granite quarries could furnish enough metal to cover every roadway in the State.

Most of the country roads in California are natural roads—that is, the roadbed is in a state of nature the hand of man has done little or nothing toward its improvement. In some sections of the great interior valleys, where the roads are much traveled, a covering of gravel from some convenient riverbed has been spread over the ground. But it furnishes a poor substitute, at best, for macadam. Much traveled California country roads are either axle-deep in mud in winter or they are over the horse's fetlocks in dust in summer, and hauling is not good in either case.

The cost of a good macadamized road might be a bar to its entertainment in the minds of some people. There is no as much of a bugbear in this as might seem at first thought. General Stone says that "the stone roads of Canandaigua, N. Y., cost only $900 per mile." These roads are so well built that "in the midst of a January thaw the farmers living on them were hauling two tons of hay on a two-horse wagon, while the neighboring dirt roads were practically impassable." The cost of a macadamized country road, strong enough to carry the traffic, in the Southern States, is estimated at $4 per rod or $1280 per mile. The district directly benefited by such a road is estimated to embrace an area of "two square miles or 1280 acres for each mile of road, thus making the cost $1 per acre." This cost should be equally divided between the district, the county and the State. The county would soon save its share of the expense in reduced expenditures for repairs, and both State and county would get still further benefit from it in the increased assessed valuation of property.

Some country roads have been built in the last which have cost $10,000 per mile, but, "those roads today are not giving as much satisfaction as some of the roads built for $2000 per mile," is the testimony which General Stone bears on the subject. As a matter of fact he has found that the cheapest roads are the best roads.

Road-building and road-repairing is a matter of great importance in this county. A large proportion of the taxes collected annually for county purposes goes into the road fund and is spent in repairing the old roadways and in building new ones. But there is a wide field for improvement, not only in the system of repairing, but in the method of construction also.

ANOTHER good newspaper man has retired from the profession in the person of W. A. Lawson, who was for some years associated with the editorial staff of the Marysville *Appeal*, afterward employed in a similar capacity on the Sacramento *Record-Union*, then he went to Los Angeles and was one of the editorial writers of the *Express*. His last newspaper connection was with the *Bulletin*, which paper he recently left, and having previously studied law he was admitted to the bar by the Supreme Court, and has begun to practice. Lawson is a brainy, skillful and accomplished journalist and a perfect gentleman. The writer of this takes a special interest in his welfare, for the reason, if none other were needed, that he instructed him in the rudiments of the profession which he has left and gave him his first newspaper detail. Lawson deserves the highest success in his new profession.

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As bright as the light of her glorious eyes

Dreams only are true, but they fade and are gone—
For her face and the ring I awaken at dawn!
The little red ribbon the ring and the rose
Mine only in dreams, in the dream and repose.

I am weary of waiting, and weary of years
And my heart wears its coat all threadbare of tears.
Moaning over the one only song that it knows
The little red ribbon the ring, and the rose.

—*Jack Whitmarsh.*

RANDOM NOTES

Paper plates are used in some German restaurants.

A greater number of secret societies exist in China than in any other part of the world.

The recent murder in Gorham, Me., was the first that occurred there since it was incorporated, 158 years ago.

At a supper recently given to some vagrant sandwichmen in London seven out of twelve of the guests had been ordained clergymen of the Church of England.

Twenty-four years ago the Democrats obtained control of the Legislature of Missouri. One of their first official acts was to order the removal of the portrait of Abraham Lincoln from the State House. The whirligig of time surely brings its revenges. The Republicans are once more in the ascendant and "Honest Old Abe's" picture occupies the post of honor.

The Democrats of Hagerstown, Md., are trying to cut off the official head of Mrs. Ben Harrison Helm, the Postmistress, Mrs. Helm is a sister-in-law of President Lincoln. Congressman Montgomery, who went under in the Republican landslide, wants the place for one of his followers but he will hardly be successful, as Mrs. Helm was appointed by President Cleveland during his first administration.

It is estimated that about $10,000,000 has been invested in coffee houses as an antidote of the saloon in England.

The Japanese are fond of bathing. In the city of Tokio there are 800 public bathhouses, in which a person can take a bath, hot or cold, for a sum equal to one half-penny.

According to a report by Miles Lo est read before the French National Society of Acclimatization, woman's desire to decorate her bonnet with feathers causes the slaughter each year of 1,150,000 swallows, and is, moreover, exterminating the Heron, the bird of paradise and many of the most beautiful birds of the American and Australian tropics.

Mike Perry of Jeffersonville, Ind., was arrested recently on the charge of conducting a crap game in church while a sermon was being delivered. Perry was arrested by the preacher, Rev. A. M. Colvin, pastor of the United Brethren congregation. When Perry declared his intention not to accompany the minister to jail the latter held a knife dangerously near Perry's throat. Perry thereupon readily submitted.

MIRTHFUL MORSELS.

THE GENTLER SEX.

He—I saw several persons take off their hats in the theater this evening.

She—Of the gentler sex.

He—Yes. They were men.—*New York Sun.*

EXCITED.

The two most exciting periods in a woman's life are when she is listening to her first proposal and bending on a basket of broken crockery at an auction.—*January Lines.*

A DOMESTIC MAN.

Hatte—Whenever my wife is sick and we have no cook I always get breakfast.

Streete—I didn't know you could cook.

Hatte—No more can I.

Streete—Then how the mischief do you get a breakfast fit to eat?

Hatte—I go to the restaurant for it.—*New York Sun.*

THE DIFFERENCE.

Lilkins—There's a lot of difference in women.

Wilkins—For instance?

Lilkins—Well, yesterday I offered my seat in a street car to one and she declined it with thanks, and today I offered it to another and she accepted it without thanks.—*Harlem Comet.*

LOOKING OUT FOR NUMBER ONE.

Inquisitive friend—I suppose you won't be defending that bank robber if you thought he really took the money?

Bright lawyer—I won't be defending him if I didn't think he took enough to pay my bill.—*New York Herald.*

A FAITHFUL SERVANT.

Gent (to his pageboy)—If anybody calls you can say I shall be back at 1 o'clock.

Page—Yes, sir.

Gent (returning at 11:30 a. m.)—Has anybody called?

Page—Yes, sir, six beggars. They will look in again at 12 o'clock.—*Kilkenny.*

NOT A NUISANCE.

Pertly—There is one thing I have to say in favor of the wind when it whistles.

Dullhead—What's that?

Pertly—It never whistles popular airs.—*Harper's Bazar.*

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Peddler—Please, sir, perhaps your wife would be pleased if you'd buy one of my "God Bless Our Home" mottoes, beautifully colored and—

Blinkers (savagely)—Fellow! My wife has just applied for a divorce.

Peddler—Ah! Well, here is something she will like, then, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."—*New York Weekly.*

BITS OF GOSSIP

The Prince of Wales wears a 7⅛ hat. The late Czar of Russia, giant as he was, had only a 6⅞ head.

William Cox of Monticello, Ky., ate his New Year's dinner at a table around which sat three of his living wives, two of whom he had divorced.

The Sultan of Turkey has been the means of establishing 50,000 schools throughout his empire, not only for boys, but for girls also, which is a striking departure from the traditional usage of his race. He rises at 6 o'clock every morning, and devotes his days, in the seclusion of his palace and his gardens, to personal attention to the affairs of state laid before him by his ministers.

Rev. John Brown, who effected a settlement of the weavers' strike at Fall River in 1889 and was afterward elected to the Massachusetts Legislature by the workingmen of that city, has returned to Scotland, his native country, to resume a pastorate which he left several years ago.

Palmer, Miss., has a female fire laddie who "runs wid de masheen" and tosses things generally. Mrs. Maria Lawrence is her name, and the boys always feel as if a fire is going to blazes if she isn't somewhere around.

General Lew Wallace denies having suggested or desired the establishment of an American College of Immortals.

The young Duke of Orleans has only escaped being blackballed by the Paris Jockey Club by having his name withdrawn.

Lieutenant Nicholas Savin, who died recently in Russia, entered the French army ninety-six years ago and his age at death was claimed to be 115.

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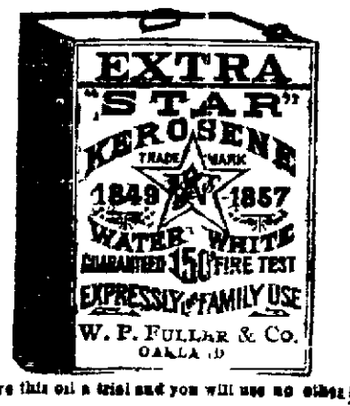

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Exceeding Activity Among Many of the Lodges.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather that has prevailed the past week, there has been considerable activity displayed among the local secret orders, a record of which will be found below. A number of interesting events are also underlined for the next two weeks:

Native Sons'.

The joint committee of the several local parlors, Native Sons of the Golden West, are working earnestly by way of preparations for the Grand Parlor which is to be held in this city in April next. They have agreed upon a petition which is now in circulation among the business people of this city, asking for subscriptions to the fund for the purpose of properly entertaining the delegates who will come to the Grand Parlor from all parts of the State.

This is the first time that the Native Sons of this city have asked anything from the residents and business men of Oakland.

Even now, they ask for only $200, or $100. This is only a mere bagatelle when one considers the number of patriotic Californians who reside here, and the honor that has been conferred on Oakland in selecting it as the place for the meeting of the next Grand Parlor.

This is a distinction which can be enjoyed by no city twice in succession, and, in fact, cannot be repeated any place, until after the lapse of many years.

Wherever the Grand Parlor has met, there has been no lack of entertainment, no want of public spirit on the part of the citizens displayed toward the delegates.

As a consequence, the representatives have returned to their homes with lively feelings of gratitude toward their entertainers and kind remembrance of the city whose hospitality they had enjoyed.

There is no city in the State which can, because of the beauty of its surroundings, make more favorable impression upon the coming guests than Oakland can. There is no city which has, relatively speaking, more patriotic Californians than Oakland. There is no city in California which contains, comparatively speaking, more manly young men and more beautiful Native Daughters than Oakland. All these things being taken into consideration in connection with the coming Grand Parlor, it would seem that the people of this city in sustaining the local parlors in making arrangements for the coming great event would be doing, not alone what those of other communities have done, and done well too, but something which the people throughout the State expect them to do, and to do also in a very thorough manner.

The forthcoming Grand Parlor ought to be the finest that has ever been held in the State. It will be attended by a larger number of delegates than has been present at any previous Grand Parlor. Each of the delegates will pay his own traveling and hotel expenses. This will be a source of revenue to the restaurants, rooming-houses and hotels of the city. Each of the delegates will spend money in making purchases of something he may need, or his wife, sister or sweetheart may need at home, and this will help to swell the income of merchants of all kinds in this city.

The Grand Parlor, therefore, will result as a financial benefit to this city, while at the same time the beauty, hospitality and climate of the place will be commended by the delegates, who will be properly entertained.

For all these reasons it has been suggested that the several sub-committees of the joint committee who will call upon the people of this city with the hope of obtaining subscriptions will be kindly received and liberally encouraged.

The committees are as follows: To call on the mercantile houses, H. D. Bolden, H. W. Gard, E. H. Reed; hotels and restaurants, Con Reuter, J. P. Cronin, C. E. Coswell; public officials, J. F. Kenney, G. J. Hans, R. W. Church; railroads, Paul Wuthe, Judge J. J. Allen, William Geary; corporations and professional men, C. E. Snook and Dr. Mayon.

PIEDMONT PARLOR.

The installation of the officers of Piedmont Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, took place last Thursday night. The exercises were conducted by District Deputy Grand President Barber, and J. J. Naegle acted as marshal.

The officers were as follows: President, Dr. O. T. Wilson; first vice president, Fred Hammerly; second vice president, J. Barnett; third vice president, P. M. Walsh; recording secretary, H. L. Tisdale; financial secretary, Herbert Seiler; treasurer, C. Reuter; marshal, J. Healey; trustee, C. Kramm; inside sentinel, W. Hughes; outside sentinel, W. H. Miller.

After the installation there was a fine programme carried out, among the features of which were a ballad, by M. Murphy; remarks, J. J. Naegle; zither solo, Miss Blessing; recitation, Gladys Jackson; piano solo, Mabel Ranson; song, Joseph Healey; song, Mabel Ranson; piano quartet, Misses Palmer, Beach, Philbrook and Evers; song, "Be Kind to Mother When I'm Gone" (his own composition), Mr. Moorehead.

Knights of Pythias.

The annual social and reunion of West Oakland Lodge, No. 141, Knights of Pythias, will take place in Masonic Hall, corner of Seventh and Willow streets, on the evening of January 29th. Grand Vice Chancellor Samuels will deliver an address.

The thirty-second anniversary of the establishment of the Pythian order will soon be reached. There is quite an amount of talk being indulged in by the members of the various local Pythian lodges of celebrating the event with a grand public entertainment.

On Monday next District Deputy Grand Chancellor Borland will install the officers of Piedmont Lodge, No. 172.

The corrected list of the officers and directors of the Pythian Hall Association is as follows: President, William Watkinson; vice president, John N. Bonham; secretary, George Samuels; directors, E. J. Murphy, S. A. Brown, T. Jackson, John Crossmann, D. L. Henderson, E. M. Bernstein, C. B. Descormier, C. Isaacs, E. Schwarzbaum, S. Samuels, John Ferguson, P. Matthewson.

The report showed that there are $618 45 in the treasury, with undivided profits, $2,000,000.

The secretary was instructed to issue illuminated cards soliciting the purchase of stock by members as a means of paying off a mortgage of $2000. The association is in a flourishing condition and every member is delighted.

United Workmen.

KEYSTONE WIDE-AWAKE.

No special programme was laid out for Keystone Lodge No. 64, Ancient Order of United Workmen, on Tuesday evening. The meeting held that night was a lively one notwithstanding. After routine work had been completed, the members indulged in songs and stories, which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Agreeably to his promise, J. R. Taylor, M. W., favored the lodge with the song, "Then You'll Remember Me," receiving great applause, the selection having been rendered in operatic style.

Brothers A. Jacobs and George S. Johnson were also very entertaining and their efforts received hearty encores.

Next Tuesday evening will be the last meeting night of Keystone Lodge at Fraternity Hall, their new quarters on Thirteenth street, between Clay and Jefferson, being ready for occupancy.

The Committee on Hall and Banquet has already made considerable progress, rendering the outlook for the coming festivities very bright. In fact, Keystone is never asleep, each shining moment being improved in some serviceable manner.

Past Master Workman, W. A. Mathewson, a most earnest worker in the society, will deliver an address on the opening night at the new hall. His subject will be "Progress." He will be followed by J. G. Poorman, P. M. W., whose eloquence is too well known to be mentioned.

PACIFIC LODGE.

The officers of Pacific Lodge No. 7, Ancient Order of United Workmen, were installed Thursday evening, January 10th, by District Deputy Silva, assisted by his team of officers. After the installation ceremonies, the retiring recorder, C. P. Griswold was presented with a cane by Brother William Winnie on behalf of the lodge and the newly-installed Master Workman, Dr. J. L. Mayon, presented his predecessor in office, C. E. Haswell, with an elegant past masters workman's badge, a gift of the lodge.

Pacific Lodge expects to initiate a number of candidates shortly and their drill team will get to work soon, so as to be ready for them.

The next session of the Grand Lodge will be held in Los Angeles in April.

Grand Master Workman J. W. Wood has offered prizes to be competed for by the drill teams.

With a little effort, Oakland could capture the first prize, as Pacific Lodge has a well-drilled team that would make the orange-raisers hustle a little to beat.

WEST END LODGE.

West End Lodge, No. 176, Alameda Ancient Order of United Workmen, held memorial exercises last Friday evening at Holtz Hall, the anniversary of the death of J. J. Pohlsch, founder of the order.

The exercises were opened with the singing of the odes of the order, after which Rev. J. J. Martin delivered the address. He alluded to the work accomplished by West End Lodge, which has a death roll of eleven, and has expended $2,000 in benefits.

Miss Jennie Sath delivered a recitation entitled "Love," and L. W. Fausterbusch rendered a vocal solo.

Past Grand Master Workman John N. Young also delivered an appropriate address.

IVY DEGREE OF HONOR.

The following newly elected officers of Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, Ancient Order of United Workmen, took their respective chairs last Monday evening: Past chief of honor, Mrs. William Cogan; chief of honor, Mrs. A. A. Wood; lady of honor, Mrs. A. Marks; sister of ceremonies, Mrs. William Oakes; sister usher, Mrs. William Moore; inside guardian, Mrs. Ida Pence; outside guardian, Brother Schoonover; recorder, Miss Laura McCrae; financial secretary, Mrs. W. Ingersoll; treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Mitchell.

Only a short session was held, as an invitation had been received from Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 36, Ancient Order of United Workmen, to attend its memorial services.

All the members present adjourned in a body and attended the impressive ceremonies.

The following programme was carried out in honor of Brothers Sturrock and Hinckley, late of Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 36, Ancient Order of United Workmen:

Remarks by Master Workman Murray; opening ode by the audience; eulogy, Brother Cogan, subject, "Brother Sturrock," which was a heartfelt and eloquent testimonial to the worth of the departed brother; tenor solo, "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death," Brother Oakes; eulogy, Brother Preston, subject, "Brother Hinckley," which was eloquently delivered; hymn, "Scatter Seeds of Kindness," Sisters Cogan and Oakes, and Brothers Preston and Ingersoll; closing remarks, Grand Recorder C. S. Hirshberg; bass solo, "The Inquiry," Mr. Trow, which was finely rendered. This gentleman has one of the best voices ever heard in the walls of Fraternal Hall. The closing hymn, "Come, Ye Disconsolate," was rendered by Sisters Oakes and Cogan and Brother Oakes and Trow.

Odd Fellows.

The Grand Master will visit University Lodge, No. 144, this evening, when the first degree will be conferred on several candidates.

REBEKAH CONTEST.

There is to be a lively contest among the Rebekah lodges of this district on the 30th and 31st of this month. It will take place in Germania Hall, and will attract a great deal of attention from among the members of the order. The prizes will be a set of ivory gavels. The contest will be in the exemplification of the initiatory work, and the following lodges will take part in it: Brooklyn Lodge, No. 12; Oakland Lodge, No. 16; Sunset Lodge, No. 109; Absit Invidia Lodge, No. 11, and Fair Oaks Lodge, No. 4.

Members of the order will be given an opportunity to witness the work, which will be done in a most creditable manner.

ODD FELLOWS' RELIEF COMMITTEE.

The Oakland General Relief Committee, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which meets every Sunday at 10 A. M. in Independent Order of Odd Fellows' Hall, Eleventh and Franklin streets, re-organized at their last meeting for the forty-third semi-annual term.

During the past six months this committee disposed of $2512 for the relief of Odd Fellows sick or in distress.

The Relief Committee is composed of two officers from each of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' lodges in the city of Oakland. The election of officers was as follows: Dr. Kitchings, president; J. B. Tallmadge, vice president; James E. Crane, corresponding secretary; F. D. Vorhees, financial secretary; F. S. Lockwood, treasurer.

MONTANA LODGE.

Aurora Lodge, Rebekah Degree of Odd Fellows, installed officers for the ensuing term as follows, at Montana Hall last Thursday evening: Noble grand, Mrs. Edith Edwards; vice grand, Mrs. McKean; recording secretary, Miss Annie Barner; permanent secretary, Mrs. Mary Summers; right supporter noble grand, Miss Holly Kunble; left supporter, Miss Gove; right supporter, vice grand, Miss Annie Bradford; left supporter, Miss Baunel; treasurer, Mrs. Cad Cook; warden, Mrs. Suzie Sackis; conductor, Mrs. Van Leser; right scene supporter, Miss Eitchbecker; left scene supporter, Miss Nellie Bryant; inside guard, Miss Mary Cook; outside guard, Sam McGowan. The hall was beautifully decorated and was thronged with visitors, some being in attendance from San Jose and San Francisco. After the installation a splendid banquet was partaken of, and altogether a most enjoyable evening was passed by those present.

FOUNTAIN LODGE.

Fountain Lodge, No. 198, last Monday evening initiated one candidate.

Harbor Lodge will have initiation ceremonies next Wednesday evening, and Porter Lodge, No 272, will initiate candidates on the same evening.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society is preparing a drama to be presented sometime in February.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, January 29th, at California Hall. It will be an important meeting, and all members are requested to be present.

Eastern Star.

Unity Chapter, No. 65, Order of Eastern Star, will give a bonbon party in Fraternity Hall, corner of Seventh and Peralta streets, next Monday night.

Retail Clerks.

The Retail Clerks' Association held an enthusiastic and well attended meeting last Monday evening.

First Vice President R. Rosenberg filled the chair in a very capable manner.

Ten applications for membership were received and will be acted upon at the next meeting.

Officers for the ensuing term were nominated. The election will take place next Monday evening.

Great enthusiasm was manifested in the nominations and, from present indications, a new era seems to be about to open for the association. New members are coming in with a rush and the treasurer reports that the treasury is in a splendid financial condition.

M. Isaacs, delegate to the Federated Trades of Alameda county, reported that a committee from the Federation had called upon a certain storekeeper on Broadway, who has always been inimical to the Clerks' interests, and reminded him of his violated pledge with reference to the Sunday-closing movement.

A full report will be heard upon the subject at the next meeting of the Federation.

Mr. Isaacs also stated that several other societies and unions, not affiliated with the Federated Trades, had promised their hearty support in sustaining the Sunday-closing agreement.

At the next meeting a motion will be brought up to change the night of meeting from Monday to Wednesday.

A lengthy communication from the Clerks' National Protective Association complimenting the local union upon its excellent work in the past was received.

A case full of books appertaining to the interests of the Clerks of the United States was also received from the National Association, and a vote of thanks was returned.

The resignation of Walter Waterman, occasioned by his permanent departure to San Jose, was received with sincere regret, Mr. Waterman having, by his personal efforts, done a good deal of good for the union. He was a host in himself in all matters which affected the interests of the Retail Clerks.

Star of Bethlehem.

Star of Truth Lodge, No. 19, Order Star of Bethlehem, will celebrate the anniversary of the organization with a social and dance in its rooms at California Hall, Eleventh and City streets, next Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. All members are requested to be present and bring their families and friends. The guests will pass a pleasant evening, as the committee in charge will endeavor to make the celebration a great success. Refreshments will be served.

Sons of Veterans.

Col E. D. Baker Camp, Sons of Veterans, will give their monthly social and dance at Grand Army of the Republic Hall, Monday evening, January 28th.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

Court Triumph, a new link in this universal Order of Foresters, will be instituted at an early date.

The charter members were initiated in Court Advocate Wednesday evening of last week, and the nucleus promises well for the prosperity of the new court.

The initiatory work was most creditably performed by High Court Officer Ferris and Chief Ranger Ricketts, assisted by the other officials of Court Advocate.

COMPANIONS OF THE FOREST.

Oakland Circle, No. 3, Companions of the Forest, will hereafter meet every Monday evening in Danis Hall, corner of Eighth and Broadway. This circle is now initiating one or two members at every meeting. It will give a social in a few weeks to help raise a social fund for the benefit of its members.

SCHEEL HIMSELF.

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The great concert by the full Scheel Orchestra, including the great leader and director, Scheel, himself, takes place in the Macdonough Theater one week from tomorrow night. On that occasion this great musical combination, which so delighted Oakland people one year ago, will appear. The orchestra comprises more than fifty performers.

Cash orders for seats for this concert are pouring into the box office of the Macdonough with wonderful rapidity. This proves that Manager Cook's energy in securing the entire orchestra of fifty musicians, with Herr Fritz Scheel at its head, is appreciated by Oakland's lovers of music. The box office, for the sale of seats, opens next Monday at 9 o'clock A. M. Prices will be 25, 50 and 75 cents.

FOOTPADS AT WORK.

Two Men Held Up in the Suburbs Last Night.

A Fruit Vale man named Andrews was stood up last night near his home and relieved of $2 05 and a silk handkerchief which he wore about his neck. The robber menaced his victim with a stout club instead of the customary pistol.

Ernest Wagner, son of Superintendent Wagner of the Judson Iron Works, was stopped within a block of his house on Dwight way, Tuesday night, by a short heavy-set man. The Berkeleyite had nothing of value in his pockets and was allowed to go after a search.

THE WHIST CLUB.

Formal Opening of the New Quarters This Evening.

The new quarters of the Oakland Whist Club in the Central Bank building will be formally opened this evening to the members and their friends. A general invitation has been extended to those interested to be present, when the rooms will be thrown open for inspection. It is expected that there will be a throng of visitors this evening, as the club has a large membership composed of many of the most prominent society people of Oakland.

The Annual Meeting.

The stockholders of the California Bank held their annual meeting January 19th at the bank building on Twelfth and Washington streets.

The report of President Jacob Greenhood showed a large increase in business. The number of directors was increased from seven to nine.

The old board, composed of A. C. Henry, John W. Phillips, Victor H. Metcalf, Jacob Greenhood, S. M. Babbitt, Anson Barstow and Charles Jurgens, was re-elected.

The new members are W. W. Whitman and C. L. Maxwell.

President Greenhood and Cashier Brooks were re-elected.

Christian Endeavor Meeting.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Christian Endeavorers of Alameda county will be held tomorrow evening at the First Congregational Church to consider several matters of interest.

The Floating Christian Endeavorers will celebrate their third anniversary this evening at the Second Congregational Church, West Oakland.

The Charity Woodyard.

The Associated Charities' woodyard was opened yesterday at Telegraph avenue and Twentieth street, under the management of H. E. Robbins. Orders may be telephoned to the yard, No. 691, or the office of the association, No. 20. The yard is open from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M.; the office from 10 to 12 M. and 3 to 5 P. M.

Pacific Astronomers.

The next regular meeting of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific will be held in the California Academy of Sciences building next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. A number of interesting papers will be read, among which will be one on the "Sun's Motion in Space," by W. H. L. Monck.

Married in the East.

Miss H. E. Hughes of this city, who has been visiting in the East for the past two years, was recently married to Joseph C. Dawson, a prominent young business man of Philadelphia.

The Series Complete.

The remaining numbers of "Glimpses of America" have arrived and are now ready for delivery at the TRIBUNE office. Parties having incomplete sets should make application for missing numbers at once.

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MALE—John Hamilton, 4 years; Alfred Ruiz, 4 years; Fred Ewing, 1 year; Alvin Shade, 7 years; Carroll Shade, 6 years; Charles Todd, 8 years; George Miller, 2 years.

Ladies' Relief Society—Children to Be Advertised in January.

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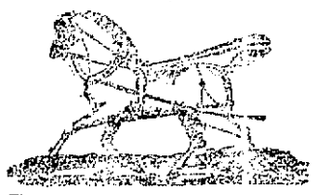

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CURIOSITY.

It Has Brought Salvation to Some Men.

Dr. Coyle Finds Converts at His Meetings.

The Services at the Presbyterian Church Well Attended.

At no time during the series of meetings being held in the First Presbyterian Church has there been such an attendance as on last evening. The chapel was completely packed below and the gallery was well filled, a few going away because they did not get good seats.

The service was led by Rev. Dr. Coyle, who after a short praise service read Luke xix 1-10, the story of Zacheus, the publican of Jericho, who being small of stature climbed the tree to see Jesus as he was passing by, but whom Jesus spoke and told him to come down, for he must abide at his house. As the conclusion of the reading the preacher said that the last verse read, "For the Son of man is come to seek and save that which was lost," was the summing up of it all, the bright jewel of the story. It was the same that spoke to the woman at the well of Samaria and healed her, to the poor leper and cleansed, so that he was pure and white as snow, that healed the blind and gave them sight. Saving souls is his business. It is always pleasant to watch the man who understands his business. If there is not truth in the story it is not worth the wasting of the ink. The same of the lost piece of silver, of the lost sheep. The lost wanderer belongs to God, and he ought to return to him. If any were in the room who had wandered away he urged them to return without delay.

Zacheus was lost in sin. He was a collector of taxes, a publican. In this business he was considered a traitor and a renegade to his race. He was the manager of one of the tax collectors and all the more hated. He was proverbially a hard case, and for this reason the incident is recorded. Jesus came where Zacheus was. He entered Jericho. He passed down the street where Zacheus lived, and by the tree which the little man climbed. He goes where the sinners are, and continued the preacher, he is here tonight ready to save any poor soul, as he was Zacheus.

The little man Zacheus wanted to see Jesus, yet he was not to be saved. He wanted to see him out of mere curiosity. He had heard about the wonderful man. Just as many of those present wanted to see General Booth when he was here. But Zacheus was saved by his curiosity.

He was Dr. Coyle related an incident of Dr. Parker, the preacher who went to an evening meeting out of curiosity, became converted and is now Dr. Dorimer, the pastor of the great Baptist Tabernacle in Boston. He said the same was the case of Saul of Tarsus, who heard the great sermon of Stephen the martyr.

Curiosity led to the downfall of the Garden of Eden. The curiosity prompted her to eat of the forbidden fruit and the expulsion from the garden. Curiosity now often leads to the downfall of many, but God often takes the stick of Satan to break his back.

With Zacheus there were many difficulties in the way. There was the crowd. He could imagine the cries and the taunts of the crowd at this despised little man. His size was against him. If he had been a brawny man the crowd might have respected his strength. But being a small man and despised on account of his calling must have made it difficult. A woman but and yet would not have been despised half as much. Nowadays people find many difficulties in the way of coming to Jesus. There is always the crowd and there are jokes. Many of you said the doctor are afraid of the crowd. You are afraid of your reputation. Let me ask you, what will the crowd be able to do for you in that day.

Zacheus met all the difficulties. He ran little as he was. He climbed up the tree like a boy. He was laughed at and jeered by the crowd but he was not to be laughed out of it. Like that said the speaker, Professor Samuel F. B. Morse was laughed at and ridiculed when he first attempted to interest men in his telegraph but he persevered and conquered. They laughed at Disraeli when he made his first speech in the Commons but the tide came when he was Prime Minister of Great Britain. They laughed at Dwight L. Moody when he started to preach on the streets and highways. But they do not now. They laughed at Jesus Christ and jeered and taunted him as he went to the cross. But nature triumphed and today is Jesus is triumphant.

Zacheus was in earnest. He was not to be deterred from seeing Jesus by any difficulties or hindrances. There are many hindrances to a consecration with them like men. I have said Jesus came where Zacheus was but it is equally true that Zacheus went where Jesus was and we know what the result was. Christ said when he looked up at him, Zacheus make haste and come down, and he did so. Jesus went home with him and the crowd murmured and said, He was gone to be the guest with a man that was a sinner. He did not chide Zacheus for his sins, his robbery or extortionate gathering of money that did not rightfully belong to him but he treated him with kindness and Zacheus broke down completely, probably while they were reclining at table while partaking of the meal and stood up and said, Behold, Lord the half of my goods I will give to the poor now, and if I have taken anything from any man by false accusation I will restore him fourfold.

Zacheus might have remained in the tree for it was a good place to see. There are many today who have the curiosity, they go to see and hear. But Zacheus came down. He was completely and instantly converted. He went to the tree a sinner and came down a saved man. Salvation came to him in a moment and blessed be God that is the way it will come to those who will accept. There was a light and a new life came to Zacheus and the same may come to every one in the room.

The discourse closed with a strong appeal to the unsaved present. Several rose while the Christians were singing and signified their desire to be Christians. At the close of the meeting a large number appeared before the session in the pastor's study.

With the exception of Saturday the meetings will continue until Thursday of next week. Rev. Campbell Coyle will lead the meeting this evening.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cereals.

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 60 ₹ bbl; superfine $2 00@2 25. Bakers extra $3 50@3 60.

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OATS—Feed, good to choice 85@90c; No. 1 92½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10; Surprise $1 02½@1 15; Milling $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black $1 15@1 30; Gray, 92½c@$1 02½; Red $1 10@1 17½.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed 70@72½c; No. 1 Feed 75½@80c; extra choice 81½c; Brewing 85@90c.

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RYE—87½@92½c ₹ ctl.

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HOP—5@8c ₹ lb according to quality.

BEANS—Large White $2 10@2 40; Small White $2 10@2 60; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 00@2 60; Butter, $1 75@1 90; Lima $4 10@4 25; Red, $1 60; Pink $1 10@1 25; Bayou, $1 75@1 90; Black-eyed Beans $1 75@3 00; Red Kidneys $2 75@3 ₹ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard ₹ ctl, $2 40@2 50; Native $1 75@; Canary 3@4c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp 3½@4½c; Flax, 3c@3½c; Rape, 1½@1½c; Timothy 5½@6½c; Alfalfa, 7@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $9@11 50; Clover, $7@10;

Wild Oat $8 00@10 00; Alfalfa $8@9; Wheat and Oat $7@9; Tame Oat $8@11; Barley, $8 00@9 00; Stock $8 00; Compressed, $9@11.

STRAW—60@90c ₹ bale.

Fruits and Nuts.

FRUITS—Lemons, Fresh $1 25@; Apples, ordinary $1 00; fancy $2@3; Pears, box, common 75c@; Mexican Limes $4 00; Lemons, California common $1@1 50; fancy $2@2 50; Bananas, common $3@4; fancy $4@5; Pineapples, $2@4; Cocoanuts, $4 00@5 00; Persimmons, box, 75c@; Oranges, Washington Navels $2@2 50; Seedlings $1@1 50; Tangerines $1@1 50; Mandarins $1@1 50; Tangelos $1@1 50; Grapefruit, $3@4 ₹ box.

NUTS—Walnuts, Shelled 30@35c; Unshelled, 12@14c; Almonds, Soft Shell, 18@20c; Paper Shell, 17@18c; Brazils, 14@16c; Filberts, 14@16c; Pecans, 15@20c; Peanuts, Eastern, 7@8c; California, 5@6c; Chestnuts, 15@20c.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples ₹ lb sun dried 4½@5c; evaporated 5@6c; Apricots, bleached, 6@7c; Blackberries, sun dried 4@5c; Nectarines, bleached, 6@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled 6@7c; peeled, in boxes, 10@12c; sun dried 4@5c; Plums, pitted 4@5c; unpitted 1@2c; French Prunes, in sack 5@6½c; in boxes 6@8c; Figs, 50@60c ₹ box; Pears, sliced 4@5c; quartered 4@5c; Raisins, ₹ box, Loose Muscatel 1@1½c; Seedless, California, boxes 50@75c; sacks 1@1½c ₹ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ₹ lb 21@22c; fancy dairy 17@18c; choice 15@16c; fair to good 12@14c; pickled roll new 12@14c; firkin new 11@12c; dairy packed firkin, 12@17c; creamery firkins 20@21c.

EGGS—Ordinary choice ranch dozen 17@20c; store 22@25c; Eastern 22@25c; Duck Eggs nominal.

CHEESE—Full cream new 9@10c; California Young America choice to fancy 11@12c; New York Cream 12@13c; Victoria 11@12c.

POULTRY—Young old roosters, doz $3 00@4 00; young $3 00@4 00; fryers $4 00@4 50; broilers small $3 00@4 00; hens dozen $4 00@5 00; Ducks old 5@6; young 3 00@4 00; turkeys lb 9@10c; Gobblers 8@10c; Geese 11 ₹ pair $1 00@1 50; Pigeons $1@1 50; Squabs $2 00@2 50; Rabbits, Cottontail dozen $1 00@1 50; Jackrabbits $1@1 50; Hares $1@1 50; Venison 6@7c.

GAME—Quail $1 00@1 50; Pheasants $3@4; Mallard $4@5; Canvasback $4@5; Teal $1@1 50; Widgeon $1 00@1 50; small duck $1@1 50; Brant $1@2; Geese—Gray $2 00@3; White $1@1 50; Hares $1@1 25; Rabbits $1@1 50; Salmon common $1@1 50; do English $1 50@.

San Francisco Stock Market.

Wool sales reported for dressed stock from slaughterers as follows:

BEEF—First quality 6@6½c; second quality, 4@5½c; third do 3@4c ₹ lb.

VEAL—Large 6@7c; small 6½@7c ₹ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 6½@6c; Ewes, 4@5c ₹ lb.

LAMB—Spring 8@9c ₹ lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 5½c for heavy and medium grain fed and 6c ₹ lb for small fat; dressed do 6½c@7c ₹ lb.

RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market.

Produce and Poultry.

Eggs California ₹ doz	$ 20 @	50
Butter choice ₹ roll	40 @	75
Turkeys, ₹ lb	10 @	00
Chickens Broilers apiece	30 @	40
Chickens hens apiece	35 @	50
Chickens Roosters apiece	50 @	14
Geese, apiece	75 @	1 00

Vegetables and Fruit.

Potatoes ₹ lb	1½ @	1
Summer Quash ₹ lb	2 @	4
Green Apples ₹ basket	50 @	75
Grapes, ₹ box	50 @	1 00

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7:30 A	Atlantic Express for Ogden and East.	6:10 A
7:00 A	Benicia, Vacaville, Humboldt, Sacramento and Redding via Davis.	6:15 P
7:38 A	Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa.	6:50 P
9:00 A	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Jackson, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Redding via Davis.	3:45 P
9:30 A	New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East.	5:10 P
8:30 A	Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East.	10:10 A
9:30 A	Martinez and Stockton.	10:10 A
*10:00 A	Petaluma and Milton.	*6:05 P
11:27 A	Sunset Limited—Daily, luxurious solid vestibuled train, San Francisco and New Orleans.	8:15 P
1:00 P	Niles, San Jose and Livermore.	*9:15 A †11:15 A
4:25 P	Martinez, Napa, Sanramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa.	8:50 A
4:32 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento.	10:20 A
4:56 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno.	6:05 P
5:31 P	Los Angeles Express, Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles.	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose.	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East.	9:20 A
7:00 P	Vallejo.	7:40 P
7:00 P	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East.	10:20 A

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8:15 A	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Los Gatos, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz, Pacific Grove, Salinas, Watsonville, San Luis Obispo and way stations.	11 P
*2:15 P	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Los Gatos, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations.	11:1 A
4:15 P	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos.	9 A
†11:45 P	Hunters train from Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations.	9 A

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Some of the Characteristics of Its Inhabitants.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

GIBRALTAR, December 21, 1894.

In my last I tried to interest you with a few notes of our journey crossing the Atlantic and entering at Gibraltar. I will continue them, commencing at Gibraltar. The three days spent here afforded us interest and pleasure. We lost no time in our search and, I believe, gathered more from sightseeing than could possibly be gained from books.

THE PROPRIETY OF THE ENGLISH.

I do not hesitate to question the propriety of the English occupying this great fortress in area, say two square miles, and in altitude, 1300 feet above the sea. Whatever the motive may be, every unprejudiced person must admit it to be a model territory for cleanliness, order and system, and when one considers the cosmopolitan character of its inhabitants, greater is one's admiration of the executive ability exhibited. Two thirds of the population is composed of Spaniards, and from conversation with the intelligent Spaniards I gather, no love is lost between them and the English. This fact, however, is generally known to the English, yet they accord to them equal rights enjoyed by all English subjects. It is doubtful, the Spaniard would see, view way, but English men and women would alone enjoy the opportunities to do business and the profits derived therefrom.

The Spaniard is a thorn in the camp, yet every evidence is seen in the mingling of nationalities of perfect order. Nowhere does the eye encounter discordant elements. The streets are scrupulously clean. The buildings are substantial and well-preserved. People move about in an orderly way, mingling with the soldiers, 6000 strong, making it a very picturesque sight. Especially is the effect more pleasing when the Moors and Arabs are a part of the throng.

THE ENCAMPMENT.

Every day, regiment after regiment parade the streets on their way to the parade grounds and for drill, marching to the strains of music issuing from bands of fifty pieces and over. The movement of each soldier is as perfect as a piece of delicate machinery, the footfalls marking time as regularly as the ticking of a clock; the body and head erect and the eye steady, having one object only in sight. It is a glorious sight and one never to be forgotten. I do not wonder at the pride always shown by English people for their army and navy. I feel like patting each soldier on the back, saying "Well done, my good fellow." I wish we could point to our American soldier in the ranks with the same enthusiasm. I am at a loss to understand why the English officer fails to impress one as equally deserving. They look and act as if they owned the world and a large share of the world unknown. Our "West Pointer" in deportment, neatness and style of action can discount the English officer and give him "spades and cards."

INSIDE THE ROCK.

We spent a day inside the "Rock of Gibraltar," which was to me like inspecting the underground workings of a mine. I failed to find the vein or lode, or the *colors*, but the drill marks, made by convict and prison labor during the period of over one hundred years, are numberless.

While the fortifications outside of the Rock are as perfect and complete as an experienced eye can judge, I am led to think that the masked batteries and those inside are the main strength of this great stronghold or fork. Of the *real defenses* few ever have seen them, I am told. The tunnel, starting from the base of the perpendicular cliff, is in size about ten by ten feet and rises about eighteen inches in every six feet advanced, following the contour of the cliff nearly to the summit of the Rock, and back from the face about thirty feet, about every hundred yards, cross cuts are made to the face and chambered out sufficiently large to hold a gun ten feet long, with room to operate it. The hole at the face of the rock is quite small, but large enough to see the object to be destroyed. When this is demanded, shot and shell can be thrown from these little light holes with deadly effect.

GUN PRACTICE.

Looking up from the outside, hundreds of these seemingly harmless openings are to be seen. From one of these we had an opportunity to see some good target practice. A launch, towed by a steamer, at a speed of four miles per hour, passed about one mile out at sea and was the object of attack. Cannon balls dropped around it, throwing volumes of water to the height of 100 feet and but a few feet from the launch. An officer told us it was not the purpose to hit the launch, but to come as near to it as possible. In that case the gunner did well.

A BONE OF CONTENTION.

The "throwing up" of this great "Rock of Gibraltar," nearly two miles from the mainland, and only connected to it by a narrow strip of lowland, has given endless trouble to the various nations of Europe and Africa, and more than any other known extant of country, and to me without compensating for it all. Some future day the wrath of the old man below may be aroused and down it will come to its former level.

SMUGGLING INTO SPAIN.

We made a short trip into Spain, only two miles, crossing the neutral belt, to see how the Spaniard did things in his own country. He is not much in advance of the Moors and Arabs. The chief occupation of the people is to grow vegetables, raise turkeys, geese, chickens and eggs for the people of Gibraltar, driving them across the neutral line packed upon the backs of donkeys or on foot. Dogs, too, perform good service. These products are sold and the proceeds are invested in American tobacco. The tobacco is tied around the necks of dogs and under the wings of unsold turkeys and geese, and so well trained are these animals that they avoid contact with the soldier on guard on the Spanish side and cunningly slip through the lines, defrauding the Government of duties, which are very high. Protective tariff runs high here. Gibraltar is a free port. I am afraid the Spaniard is of no earthly use but to steal and cheat; experience tells me this.

CUSTODIAN OF THE CITY KEYS.

St. Peter, who holds the keys to the gate of Gibraltar, can be seen at sunrise and sunset on his way (guarded by a file of soldiers) to open or shut the gates. After that is done the Spaniard must remain inside or outside, as the case may be, and the sentinel's eye is relieved from the duty of watching the rascal, as he generally tries to get home at night. J. P.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

RECORDED.

THURSDAY, January 24th.

Jennie W. Lapping, formerly Eaton, to Carl Latcke, lot on south line of Alameda avenue, 300 feet west from Oak street, west 25 by south 150, portion of lot 16, block D, tables adjacent to Encinal, Alameda; $10.

Elma C. Farnham to Wilson M. Hunt, lot on east line of Park street (as it now exists), 25 feet north from the point where the south line of lots 31 and 32, of Alameda Park, intersects the east line of Park street, which point of beginning is also distant 100 feet south from southeast corner of Central avenue and Park street, thence from point of beginning north 1 inches to south line of brick building on lands of first party, thence east 100.11 to a point in east line of lot 31 distant 3.6 north from southeast corner thereof, thence south 1 inches, west 100.11, to beginning, reserving to first party the right to maintain the foundation of said brick wall as it now exists. Alameda; $30.

Isabella A. and William Taylor to Bernhard Joost, lot on south line of Encinal avenue (as widened to 80 feet), 190 feet west from Walnut street, west 50 by south 150, being lot 13, less a strip of 10 feet taken for widening Encinal avenue, in east 7 acres of Pioneer Homestead Association, Alameda; $10.

Henry H. and Annie Strang to Philip Kolb, lot on southeast corner of Ray and Main streets, east 230 by south 185, being portion of plot 3, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, town of Pleasanton, Murray township; $10.

Margery Walker to William T. Walker, undivided ½ interest of southeast ¼ of section 30, township 3 south, range 3 east, Murray township; gift.

William F. Walker to Della J. Walker, 5 acres, being the undivided ½ interest in southeast ¼ of section 30, township 3 south, range 3 east, Murray township; gift.

Charles Clark, by William Clark, attorney, to C. L. Jones, lots 15 to 17 and 48 to 50, block 59, Peralta Park tract, East Oakland; $10.

Jeremiah Teager to Mary O'Connell, lot on north line of East Ninth street, 175 feet east from Twenty-eighth avenue, east 50 by north 100, being lots 16 and 17, block 6, Knowles and Potter subdivision of Kennedy tract, East Oakland; $10.

E. A. Heron to Alameda County, lot on south line of Monte Vista avenue, at intersection with southwest line Landa Vista Terrace, thence northeast 16.02 feet by southeast 5, for street purposes, Oakland; gift.

J. G. Cressley to Sarah A. McKee, lot on northeast corner of Mariposa and Grove streets, north 45 feet by east 120, being lot 6, block 3, McKee tract, Oakland township; $10.

G. H. and Julia Baker to G. G. Baker, lot 25, block 1, resubdivision Roberts & Wolfskill tract, Oakland township; $10.

George G. and as attorney, and Frances C. Baker by attorney, to Frank Reeves, lots 21 and 23, block 1, resubdivision of portion of same, Oakland township; $10.

F. Reichling to William P. Todd, 100 of an acre, beginning at the most northerly corner of lands of F. Reichling, thence southeast 22 links, southwest 1.68 chains, northwest 19 links, northeast 4.61 chains to beginning, Oakland township; $10.

G. H. and Julia Baker to George G. Baker, undivided ½ interest in lot on west line of Baker street, 107.83 feet north from Wilder street, north 40, west 112.38, south 90, east 110.32 to beginning, being lot 19, Mountain View tract, being a portion of Dohr tract, Berkeley; $5.

Charles H. Shinn, William A. Mabel, W. and Henry M. Beatty, by Sheriff (Robert McKillican, Sheriff), to Home Security Building and Loan Association, lot on north line of Channing way, 250 feet east from Bowditch street, east 50 by north 130, being subdivision F of lot 2, block 9, College Homestead, Berkeley; $2147.

Frank Smith and Madie McHarry, by Sheriff (Robert McKillican, Sheriff), to Jane Stone, lot on east line of Fifth street, 60 feet south from Addison, south 31 by east 91, being portion of lots 1 and 2, block 106, Saturna tract, Berkeley; $1251.

F. K. and Rosa M. Shattuck to H. L. Whitney, A. F. Eldridge, Byron Underwood, C. L. Wood, J. T. Farrar, Charles W. Woodworth and James Sharp, Trustees First Baptist Church of Berkeley, lot on south line of Dwight way, 216.91 feet west of Shattuck avenue, west 50, south 129.61, east 50, north 129.65 to beginning, being portion plot 58, Rancho V. and D. Peralta, Berkeley; $1.

Lewis T. and A. D. Higgins, James and Margaret F. Sharp, Lewis T. Higgins and James Sharp, trustees of First Baptist Church of Berkeley, to same, lot on south line of Dwight way, 216.91 feet west of Shattuck avenue, west 50 by south 129.65, being portion plot 58, same, Berkeley, trust deed; $1.

George T. and Adelia S. Hawley and Edwin S. Poulson to Hans Peterson, lot 23, block B, Buenaventura tract, Brooklyn township; $16.

James S. and Joseph Warner to Rudolph W. Mencke, lot on east line of Peach street, 195.11 feet north from Bay View avenue, north 50 by east 150, lot 51, resubdivision block 31, Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

W. A. and Mary F. Grulin to J. L. Gould, lot on south line of Encinal avenue, 197 feet west from Lafayette street, west 19 by south 145, being lot 5 and north 5 feet lot 16, block 8, amended map, Bartlett tract, Alameda; $10.

Ezekiel S. and Mary E. Rowley to same, lot on south line of Encinal avenue, 197 feet east from Union street, east 49 by south 145, being lot 6 and north 5 feet lot 15, block 8, amended map, same, Alameda; $10.

Marcus Halverson to Joseph F., Edwin Y. and Maria E. Peralta, lot on north line of Williams street, 289.18 feet east from Orchard, east 50 by north 150, being the east 50 feet lot 12, block 2, resubdivision Ward's addition to San Leandro; $250.

Manuel S. Cordova to Jose V. Pacheco, piece of land containing 10 acres, beginning in middle of county road from Haywards to Niles, at southeast corner lands of Cuna, thence northeast 8.00 chains, southwest 6.62 links, northwest 1.50 chains, northwest 1.61 chains, northwest 1.83 chains, northwest 30 links, southwest 13.12 chains, southeast 11.40 chains, northeast 1 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

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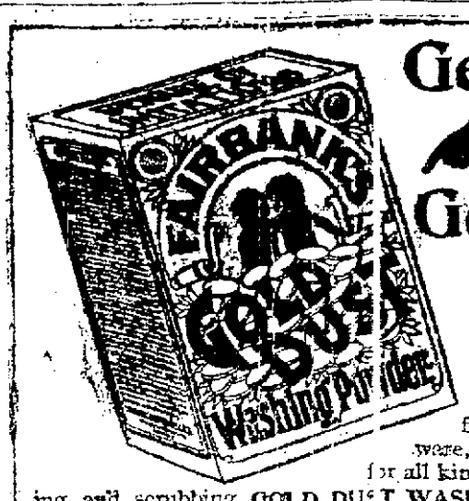

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AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing has regularly been postponed, all persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard, have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	Two Story.	Single Story.	Flats, Lodging Houses and Hotels.
1 to 400	$ 60	$ 80	$ 75
401 " 500	60	80	85
501 " 600	60	90	1 10
601 " 700	70	1 00	1 20
701 " 800	80	1 20	1 30
801 " 900	90	1 40	1 50
901 " 1000	1 00	1 60	1 65
1001 " 1200	1 10	1 80	1 85
1201 " 1400	1 20	2 00	2 00
1401 " 1600	1 30	2 20	2 20
1601 " 1800	1 40	2 40	2 40
1801 " 2000	1 50	2 60	2 60
2001 " 2200	1 60	2 80	2 80
2201 " 2400	1 70	3 00	3 00
2401 " 2600	1 80	3 20	3 20
2601 " 2800	1 90	3 40	3 40
2801 " 3000	2 00	3 60	3 60
3001 " 3250	2 10	3 80	3 80
3251 " 3500	2 20	4 00	4 00
3501 " 3750	2 30	4 20	4 20
3751 " 4000	2 40	4 40	4 40
4001 " 4250	2 50	4 60	4 60
4251 " 4500	2 60	4 80	4 80
4501 " 4750	2 70	5 00	5 00
4751 " 5000	2 80	5 20	5 20

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 5000 square feet, five cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards, seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building, shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $1 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding houses, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0.08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, delicatessens, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the extent and quantity of water used, at from $1.75 to $[illegible] per month, in case of no agreement in estimates, at meter rates as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mines, manufactories, farms, orchards, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $1 00.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 75.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $[illegible].

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 50.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $1 00.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $1 [illegible].

Each bathtub in public establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mil. [illegible] per square foot per month, payable [illegible] month in the year; provided that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $3 50 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, sprinkling fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty feet linear front on the street, one cent per linear foot, for each additional linear foot, one half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¾ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 75.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 75.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 40.

Each cow, $0 75.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 25.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 05.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads for the county of Alameda, its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, or through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except that the rate for water furnished by meter for [illegible] which shall be [illegible] calendar month and at the meter rates [illegible] for water for [illegible] if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumer's request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates, and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D. 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 31, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Peterson.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HILAM BAILEY,

Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

Attest: JAMES L. CRANE,
(Seal) Clerk of Board.
By T. N. Crawford,
Deputy Clerk.

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

L. M. COTTRELL,

vs.

CLARA HARRISON.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court of Oakland Township, County of Alameda, State of California, wherein L. M. Cottrell, Plaintiff, and Clara Harrison, defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 14th day of December, A. D. 1894, for the sum of twenty-nine and 15-100 ($29.15) dollars, United States gold coin, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, Clara Harrison, of, and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Thirteenth (13th) avenue and northerly line of Eleventh (11th) street; thence northerly along said line of Thirteenth (13th) avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles westerly seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southerly one hundred (100) feet to said line of Eleventh (11th) street; thence easterly along said line of Eleventh (11th) street seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning, being the southerly one hundred (100) feet of lots ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) in block numbered [illegible] as laid down on the map of Clinton of record in the recorder's office of Alameda County.

Notice is hereby given that I will on

Saturday, the 9th Day of February, A. D. 1895,

at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the courthouse door of the County of Alameda, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, Clara Harrison, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder.

[illegible],
Constable of Oakland Township.

Dated Oakland, January [illegible], 1895.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE CITY and county of San Francisco, state of California. Department No. 1. Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Lawler, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1895, in the matter of the estate of Isaac Lawler, deceased, the undersigned, executor of said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Friday, the 1st day of February, 1895, at the office of Belcher & Shortridge, Rooms 25 to 28, Third floor, Crocker Building, San Francisco, California, attorneys for said executor, all the right, title, interest and estate of said deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since the death of said deceased, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

First—An undivided [illegible] interest in a certain lot of land situate in the town of Alameda, county of Alameda, state of California, bounded and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Central or Washington avenue, distant one hundred and ninety (190) feet easterly from the eastern line of First or West End avenue, and running thence easterly along said line of Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet four (4) inches; thence westerly parallel with Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet and four (4) inches to the place of beginning.

Second—An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Lot number [illegible] according to a certain map of the Pacific Theological Seminary tract, dated Oakland, December 22, 1879, filed in the office of the County Recorder of said county of Alameda, on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1871.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash, lawful money of the United States; ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the undersigned on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by said court.

Deed at the expense of purchaser.

[illegible] S. W. BEARDLE,
Executor of the estate of Isaac Lawler, deceased.

Dated, January 16, 1895.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE City and County of San Francisco, state of California. Probate. Department No. 9.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of John G. Lawler, Francis E. Lawler, Esther Lawler, William T. Lawler and Gertrude Lawler, minors.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1895, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of John G. Lawler, Francis E. Lawler, Esther Lawler, William T. Lawler and Gertrude Lawler, minors, the undersigned, the guardian of the persons and estates of said minors, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1895, at the office of Belcher & Shortridge, Rooms 25 to 28, Third floor, Crocker Building, San Francisco, California, attorneys for said guardian, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said minors, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated and being in the county of Alameda, state of California, bounded and described as follows:

First—An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the town of Alameda, county of Alameda, state of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Central or Washington avenue, distant one hundred and ninety (190) feet easterly from the eastern line of First or West End avenue, and running thence easterly along said line of Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet four (4) inches; thence westerly parallel with Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet and four (4) inches to the place of beginning.

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Deed at the expense of purchaser.

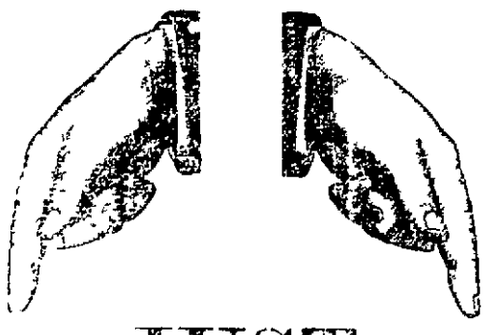
BELLE TATE,
Guardian of the persons and estates of said minors.

Dated January 16, 1895.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Rainbow Rock Company will be held at the office of the company, at the corner of Second and Clay streets, Oakland, California, on Monday, the fourth day of February, A. D. 1895, at 9 A. M.

F. H. LAMOUREUX,
Secretary.



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THE INSURANCE DEAL.

Some Pointers for the Agents and Managers.

Editor Tribune—We are not surprised to learn that the Pacific Insurance Union has been disrupted and that in future the companies will be guided in their business by the skill, judgment and experience of their several managers.

It is self-evident that the compact was organized and conducted in the interest of certain companies and when they failed to hold the lead and dictate terms there was kicking and continued kicking is sure to create bad feeling and bad blood. Now that the compact has disrupted it will stand the underwriters in hand to act with discretion, and thus prove to the public that they are the representatives of legitimate corporations doing business on business principles rather than a set of cheap John Bushwhackers willing to deal out their policies regardless of cost.

We noticed in one of the San Francisco morning papers the picture of a thin, haggard, bushy whiskered young man who poses as the chap who broke the compact and who no doubt in this boast hopes to reap glory and business but if we are not mistaken this individual was the president of the Pacific Insurance Union for several terms and while president was a firm advocate of the combine as necessary and desirable, and we are strongly of the impression that his withdrawal was not in the interest of his agents his policy holders or the public but simply because he desired to have the cinch pulled tighter on agents and customers and if he could accomplish this end he would get back into the compact in double quick time.

Fire underwriting is a legitimate business based on legitimate principles. The rates of premium charged on the several classes of risks have been ascertained through a careful classification of the business and the results on this coast the past few years prove that the margin of profit has been very small and hence any sweeping reduction in the present rates would be fatal to the companies and to their policy holders and certainly it is to be hoped that managers and agents will be guided by square and legitimate principles and keep within the danger mark. The public want legitimate insurance—that style of indemnity which guarantees square liberal treatment in the event of loss and all know that if insurance is furnished below cost that when losses occur the company will try and get even in a close and niggardly adjustment.

We had a "war of rates" in this city a few years ago, a most ridiculous exhibition of demoralization on the part of companies managers and agents which did not benefit anyone but, on the other hand, lowered the reputation of those engaged in the business. Let us have no more such boys' play with the capital of others. Issue your policies at rates that you are satisfied cover cost and provide a moderate profit and if you cannot obtain these rates let the business go to the bushwhackers. Those who fall themselves of these cheap rates will discover that they made dear investments and the legitimately managed companies will eventually get the business.

The companies that will suffer most by this eruption will be our locals. They are dependent on the coast for the bulk of their revenue and if demoralization rules their revenue will be largely depleted, while their losses will be sure to increase, as history repeats itself that low rates and general demoralization results in a large increase in losses.

There are several Eastern and foreign companies represented by managers of the "compact production." These gentlemen are not underwriters, and unless competent successors can be secured the number of companies now operating on the coast will be largely reduced.

We will watch the movement of the several companies with considerable interest, and if anything of importance transpires you will hear again from REGULATOR.

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A. A. Denison's Lecture

A. A. Denison delivered a lecture at Palo Alto, today, before Professor Smith's class in charities and corrections on out-door relief in Alameda county.

BE CAREFUL.

Henry Dalton's Advice to the Voters.

The Board of Works Again Arraigned.

Reasons Why the Amendments Should Be Adopted.

Editor Tribune—Two members of the present Board of Works will be in office during the first year of the incumbency of the new Mayor. That being the case, it is safe to say that the 'gang' will continue to control the police, street and fire departments for one year from next April. We have already had a taste of the victorious ness of having the police, fire and street departments in the control of the "gang." We have seen these departments active at the primaries and at the polls, active to do the bidding of the people against whom Oakland has just cause for complaint; active in support of those men who gave us the pool rooms; active in the support of those men who were responsible for the prating sleeps; active in the support of the men who have allowed the city to be robbed in the foundations of the Sixth ward schoolhouse; active in the support of the men who gave us the defective and dangerous Third ward schoolhouse; active in the support of the railroad; active in the support of all the men and corporations who are a menace to the prosperity and good name of the city of Oakland.

Besides putting the police, fire and street departments into the worst kind of politics and making them the appendages of the gang and the tools of the railroad, besides squandering the money of the city in defective school buildings and allowing the city to be robbed in the purchase of fire engines, besides receiving $200 per month for less than an hour of their time per day, besides turning out of office Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Tomkins and Mr. Hall and putting into office Mr. Doody, Mr. Harrison and Mr. Lawton, besides making Mr. DeGolia the attorney for the board whenever it could do so, besides refusing to act in the opening of streets through to the water front when the railroad has been opposed to the opening, besides doing everything it could to put and keep the gang in power and refusing to do other things that would be against the interests of the railroad and in the interests of the people of the city of Oakland, besides doing all these things, the Board of Public Works has made itself a public nuisance in that it has done everything in its power to keep alive and in lighting trim the army of political leeches whom the people of the city have repeatedly driven out of office.

We have had six years of experience with the Board of Public Works instead of improving with age as wine is said to do the board has steadily deteriorated. In the end of being as the friends of the charter said they would be an aid to the Council and a benefit to the city the board has become a drag upon the Council and an injury to the city and a corrupting influence in our politics. Instead of doing none of the things that it was claimed it would do but has done everything that its originators said it would not do.

Some time ago the Board of Works had occasion to buy some expansion rings for the fire department. As soon as this became known a certain dealer in these articles went to the board and offered to sell the rings for $[illegible] per gross. A certain other dealer went to the board and offered to sell the same kind of rings for $[illegible] per gross. Did the board buy the rings for $[illegible] per gross and thus save the city $10 per gross on the rings? Oh, no; the board used to seeing the city's money wasted on schoolhouse foundations and defective and dangerous schoolhouses did nothing of the kind. On the contrary it bought the $[illegible] per gross rings. Why it did so no more intelligent man can tell any more than he can tell why the board bought a fourth class fire engine and paid a third class price for it, thereby allowing the city to be robbed of $[illegible].

Yet there are a few people who say that the present Board of Works should not be legislated out of existence by the adoption of the amendments to the charter. There are a few people who say that it is not good public policy to put these men out of office and thus protect the city from them and their masters for the next year. The people who oppose the amendments may be divided into two classes. In the first class we find a few honest and honorable men, who through some mental quirk have led themselves to believe that the theoretically perfect but practically rotten system of an appointive Board of Works is the thing for this city, and who refuse to learn anything by experience. These men honest, though they be, have for the moment joined hands with the 'gang' and are doing everything in their power to help the gang in its endeavor to keep control of the politics of this city through the Board of Works and the police, street and fire departments. And we are treated to the sight of these men, to the delight of the 'gang,' singing and abetting the Republican and Democratic machine in its unholy attempt to keep the city treasury at its mercy. It is a spectacle fit for the political gods to see these good men industriously engaged in the pleasing pastime of pulling the 'gang's' chestnuts out of the fire while the members of that delectable band rub their hands in glee and wish their deluded fellow citizens God speed in their misguided endeavors.

The other class who are opposed to the amendments is composed of the 'gang,' its followers, dependents and lickeys. It numbers in its ranks all the men who have a living to get out of machine politics and who see the chances of future fattening at the public crib disappearing with the disappearance of the present Board of Works. It takes in all the political campfollowers who rob the dead on the political battlefields, who rejoice when the gang secures a victory and live by honest work when the 'gang' loses its control of the city's affairs. It comprises in its ranks all the men who make the power of the 'gang' possible and who do the political bidding of the railroad and the machine. There is not a chronic office-seeker in the city of Oakland who is not opposed to the removal from office of the present Board of Works and who is not violently of the opinion that the proposed amendments should not be adopted. There is not a political buzzard roosting on the dead limb of the blasted oak that stands outside the camp of the machine and waiting for the carrion that his masters may throw to him but who is feverishly anxious to convince his fellow men that it is bad policy for the city to turn the present Board of Works out of office by adopting the proposed amendments to the city charter.

How the honest men who are opposed to the amendments can bring themselves to associate with the men who are disreputable in the politics of Oakland and advocate the things that they do is a question that will require the careful study of one deeper versed in the vagaries of the human mind than am I. It would be equally edifying and equally inexplicable to find these same men joining hands with the inmates of our State Prisons to purify the judiciary or reform the laws against burglary and murder. I do not question the honesty of purpose of these men, who stand well in this community, and who are respectable and respected citizens, when they announce themselves opposed to the amendments, but I do say that they can well afford to be ashamed of the company they keep.

Are the people of Oakland willing to sit quietly by and see themselves disgraced for another year by the present Board of Works? Do they wish to say to the rest of the State of California that they are pleased with the schoolhouse work of the present Board of Works and approve of their conduct in buying expansion rings and fire engines? A vote against the amendments is a vote for the present Board of Works, is a vote in favor of the "gang", is a vote to keep the police, street and fire departments in the control of the political machine, is a vote of confidence in Mr. Carothers, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Miller, Mr. De Golia and Mr. Harrison. A vote in favor of the amendments is a vote to oust the present Board of Works, is a vote of censure to Mr. Carothers, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Miller, Mr. Harrison and Mr. De Golia; is a vote to rescue the police, street and fire departments from the clutches of the gang, a vote that says to the rest of the State of California that the caster of it is not in favor of the city of Oakland being controlled by the railroad, the machine or the gang.

Can any lover of good government any hater of political knavery and corruption, bring himself to vote against the amendments and in favor of the Board of Works and the "gang"? Can any self-respecting citizen look his fellowman in the face if he casts a vote of confidence in the methods of the present Board of Works by voting against the amendments? Think of it—a vote against the amendments is a vote that says to Mr. Carothers, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Miller, Mr. Harrison and Mr. De Golia well done good and faithful servants, I approve everything you have done and hereby vote to keep you in power for at least another year!

HENRY P. DALTON.

Oakland, January 24, 1895.

A GREAT QUARRY.

Splendid Prospects of the Oakland Rock Company.

The Oakland Rock Company held its annual meeting of stockholders at the company's office in the Macdonough building on the 22d inst. The following named gentlemen were elected as a Board of Directors for the ensuing year: C. W. Wilkin, Frank Loch, George Chase, George F. Earl and J. J. Cochran. The reports of the officers showed the affairs of the company to be in a very satisfactory condition.

The corporation was formed one year ago for the purpose of developing a large deposit of blue trap rock specially adapted for street macadam, situated on the hills beyond Berkeley and conveniently located to the line of the California and Nevada Railroad and for the additional purpose of selling rock and macadamizing streets. They have put up a very extensive plant for such purposes at the quarry and they have thus opened up a face of rock that surpasses anything of its kind in the vicinity of Oakland or Berkeley.

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The manager of the Oakland Rock Company, J. F. Lochrin, informs a Tribune reporter that the company's prospects are of the very best. From present indications the company will have all the work they can possibly execute during the coming summer in Berkeley alone. This means a great deal for the company, having facilities now for the delivery of 300 yards of rock per day and it is susceptible of being doubled at a nominal cost.

Death of an Old Resident

Mrs. Julia Casey, one of Oakland's pioneer residents, died suddenly at her home, 514 Madison street, yesterday. She was the wife of Jeremiah Casey and leaves three children, J. F. Casey, Miss Annie Casey and Mrs. Joseph Higgins, all of this city.

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DANGER.

Corrupt Officials Are Scared.

Investigations May Soon Come.

General Desire Though to Proceed With Caution.

Interesting Work Before the Legislators at Sacramento.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The tidal wave of reform started by Dr. Parkhurst in New York has reached the Pacific coast in all its imminency, and whether or not the officials it is intended to engulf can escape, is yet a matter of conjecture. One thing is certain, a vigorous crusade on the subject is being urged in the Legislature, and the topic has now become one of almost all-absorbing interest.

There is a feeling though among some of the members that the start has not been made in the right way. Frank Powers, chairman of the San Francisco delegation in the Assembly, is naturally one of the most interested men in the Legislature, and he is declaiming loudly against the proposition as it now stands.

"It is absolutely childish," he said. "They propose to probe the alleged police corruption in San Francisco by February 15th. It can't be done. Ewing, Spencer, Reed, Davis and Guy, who have been suggested for the committee, are all good men, but how can they, hampered as they would be by having witnesses kept out of their way, go to San Francisco, dig up all the evidence and return and report it to the Legislature within a few days? I am in favor of the investigation, but I want to see it done properly. If the methods of San Francisco are to be inquired into let the Legislature do it properly if it takes all summer, but certainly not by wasting the time of five good men and the money which would be entailed in the manner now proposed."

Senator Earl, who as chairman of the Committee on Education and Public Morals in the upper house is brought most into touch there with the project, also has sensible views on the subject. In his opinion there should be no hasty action regarding a matter of such magnitude. He has been feeling the pulse of opinion, and he is satisfied that the investigation would be thoroughly indorsed, but he does not want to run up the heavy expenses that will be entailed unless it can be shown that the inquiry will be conducted fully.

"I do not think it possible to do the work and report to this Legislature," he says, "and it would therefore have to be left to a standing committee to report next session. A stenographer and attorney would have to be engaged, so you see why I am advocating full deliberation before we proceed on a matter so important as this."

It is authentically given out that if the commission is appointed Judge Wallace of San Francisco will divorce himself from all his other duties and become its attorney. He takes a great interest in all such proceedings, and, furthermore the position would bring him much fame.

TO SHAKE UP THE BLIND HOME.

The Blind Home of Oakland is to receive a thorough overhauling. Governor Budd, after listening to the complaints of the visiting committee has decided to make a personal investigation, and when the session is over and he has some time to himself, he will proceed there and will determine what is true and what is not. From the way he talks he will probably make a clean sweep of the directorate if he considers the charges sustained. The Governor thinks that the Blind Home should be kept out of politics, and if he does appoint a complete new board it will be a non-partisan one.

THE BALL ALL RIGHT.

Nothing now stands in the way of the success of the Inaugural Ball. The removal of the Senatorial fight from the arena has given the members an opportunity to perfect the various arrangements, and it has been determined to adjourn from Saturday noon until Tuesday. Two bands of music have been engaged and the committee promises that the entertainment provided will be as elaborate as anything before attempted.

TO PENSION SCHOOLTEACHERS.

Schoolteachers throughout the State will be called on to consider a measure which is to be pushed by Senator Bert. It provides for an annuity and retirement fund, to be operated in the following manner: It shall be in the hands of a Board of Trustees, consisting of the Superintendent of Schools, Treasurer and Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of each county.

The fund is to be supplied as follows: All money withheld from salaries on account of absence from duty, etc.; 1 per cent of each teacher's salary; 5 per cent of all the income derived by the county from licenses for liquor men, pawnbrokers, billiard hall proprietors and second hand dealers; one-fourth of all the revenue derived from dog tags.

The pensions are apportioned at $15 a month for each teacher who retires after twenty years' service, and $50 a month for those who serve twenty-five years. All money that accumulates in the fund over and above what is needed is to be turned over each year to the General fund of each county.

The California Experimental Station at Berkeley is figuring in a bill prepared by Senator Simpson in connection with the proper scrutiny of fertilizers. The measure provides that samples of all fertilizers placed on the market at more than $7 50 a ton shall be analysed at the State University. Professor Hilgard is personally making an effort to have the bill passed.

A ROAD ENGINEER.

A measure in which Alameda county is directly interested has been drawn up by Senator Holloway. It ordains that the Supervisors of each county shall appoint a road engineer, who must be a competent roadbuilder. The official proposed is to hold office for a term not exceeding two years and his pay shall be as follows: In counties containing 300 miles of roads or less, $1200 per annum; more than 300 and not exceeding 600, $1600; over 600 and not exceeding 1000, $2000; all over 1000, $2500 per annum.

TO CUT DOWN ATTACHES.

Senator Elliott McAllister's desire for retrenchment has led him to draw up a bill which regulates the list of attaches to each branch of the Legislature, giving the power, however, to make additions on a vote of four-fifths of the members elected. The statutory officers are provided for as now, but the subordinate places are slaughtered beyond all recognition. For instance, the bill only allows in the Senate ten committee clerks and five assistants, who must be stenographers, while for the Assembly, twelve committee clerks are apportioned and six assistants. Seven pages are allowed for the Assembly, and six for the Senate.

THE ELECTION OF PERKINS.

The Senatorial contest has now gone into history, and the closing scenes will be remembered with pleasure by those who participated in them. Senator Perkins' address was full of good, sober thought and sound sense, and the frequent interruptions of applause bore testimony to the appreciation with which his remarks were received. Assemblyman Dodge started things going in lively style by proposing three cheers for the Senator, and as the hurrahing ceased, the Alameda, looking a little pale, but perfectly self-possessed, made his response of thanks for his election.

The Senator took back with him to Oakland a little bundle of yellow papers that he prizes very highly. It consists of the congratulatory dispatches he received after getting the nomination, and it seems as if every one of prominence hastened to shake hands with him in spirit. Oakland was particularly well represented in the telegrams, and a pleasant feature was that many of them were from those who had been mentioned as his rivals for the place.

VOORHEES AND HIS VOTE.

Senator Voorhees is not pleased with the statement that has gone out that he with Assemblymen Tibbits, Coleman and Dunbar was instrumental in the downfall of De Young through not voting for Reddick as had been anticipated.

"I don't see how any one thought I would vote for Reddick," he said, "I am sure I never said so, and certainly not to Mr. Stone with whom I did not exchange a word during his stay in Sacramento. At one time I had intended placing Neff in nomination and voting for him, but I decided that it would be simply throwing away my ballot to do so, and I therefore cast my vote for Perkins."

H. M. COLLINS HERE AGAIN.

Now that the Senatorial contest is out of the way, H. M. Collins is on the scene again to push his claims for the seat now occupied by McDonald. He will ask the committee to give him an early hearing, and it will undoubtedly be granted, as such an arrangement was tacitly understood when Collins asked to have the whole matter go over until the Senatorial fight was out of the way.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Senators Seymour and Mathews and Assemblymen Dodge, Dixon and Langenour were those honored in being appointed to escort Senator Perkins to the chair.

D. Edward Collins is here from Oakland.

C. M. Shortridge of the San Francisco *Call* and Sam Rucker of San Jose came up to witness the joint session and at once returned to San Francisco.

Commodore Phil Caduc of the San Francisco Yacht Club is at the Golden Eagle.

Dan Cole is still holding down first base at the Capital Hotel.

Billy Hamilton and Colonel Jackson were two of the happiest men on the floor when the cheering started up for Senator Perkins.

Senator Henderson wants the Legislature to instruct the Harbor Commissioners to pay a claim of $1250 for the Pacific Transfer Company.

The first weekly history of the Senate contains 291 bills, nine joint resolutions and twelve constitutional amendments. The Assembly history for the week contains 315 bills, four concurrent resolution and nineteen constitutional amendments.

Up to date the Alameda county delegation in the Assembly has introduced twenty-six bills, distributed as follows: Dodge, 8; Waymire, 12; Fassett, 5; Gay, 1.

W. Jay Schmidt, the Berkeley spendthrift, intends taking in the Inaugural Ball in style. A dispatch (collect) was received from him today, reading: "Secure passes for the ball for Neary and myself and three horses. Also secure apartments and, if possible, negotiate loan of dress suit for Neary. I will appear at ball in character as Goddess of Liberty." HATTON.

POLICE CORRUPTION.

A Law to Be Framed to Provide for an Investigation.

SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The resolution of Ewing for an investigation of the corruption of the San Francisco Police Department was the special order for this morning.

Waymire of Alameda said that the Lexow Committee was appointed by virtue of a statute, and offered a substitute resolution directing the Attorney General to draft a law granting authority to a committee to investigate the police and also San Francisco election frauds.

The committee shall sit as long as necessary.

The substitute was adopted by 75 to 4.

The Assembly then took up and concurred in a Senate resolution permitting the use of the Capitol for the inaugural ball.

As an urgency measure, under suspension of the rules, a bill appropriating $50,000 for the support of the State Printing Office was read first, second and third times and passed.

Phelps, chairman of the Committee on Retrenchments, offered a resolution giving the committee power to send sub-committees at will to investigate State institutions.

Phelps declared that the State was robbed right and left, especially in the management of the Preston School of Industry at Ione. The resolution was adopted.

HINTON WINS.

He Is Appointed Registrar of San Francisco.

How the Fight Was Made at Sacramento.

Andy Clune and Others Will Be Provided For.

Special to The Tribune.

CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The Governor has appointed William M. Hinton, Registrar in San Francisco.

The fight simmered down to between him and Alonzo A. Watkins of W. W. Montague & Co.

Watkins, however, refused to accept the place and withdrew, leaving the field clear for Hinton.

Dick Hammond retired from the race, and Sammy Braunhardt, who was also a candidate for the place, withdrew with the conditions, it is understood, that he will be appointed Port Warden.

Andy Clune held out for the place and for a long time refused to accept anything else.

It is believed, though, he will be appointed Attorney of the State Board of Health, a position now held by George Knight.

If, however, the office is abolished by the present Legislature, Clune will be otherwise provided for. HATTON.

MINERAL LANDS.

Senator Power Anxious to Have Them Classified.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—Senator Power has returned to the Senate and resumed his efforts to pass a bill for the classification of mineral lands in the Northern Pacific grant.

He is hopeful of securing the passage of the House bill before adjournment and was today assured that no more patents will be issued to these lands while the present Congress is in session.

NO WARNING.

A Newspaper Correspondent Killed by a Judge.

BRAZORIA, Tex., January 24.—R. M. McChinn, a newspaper correspondent of Velasco, was killed here by Judge Harry Masterson.

McChinn was a witness in an important suit.

He had been in Brazoria but a few minutes when Masterson opened fire upon him, killing him instantly.

Masterson surrendered.

Trying to Elect Senators.

OLYMPIA, Wash., January 24.—The ninth ballot for Senator was as follows: Ankeney, 25; Wilson, 7; Allen, 24; Turner, 19; McMillen, 5; Rogers, 23; Wallace, 6; Manring, 1. Joint session dissolved to noon tomorrow.

SALEM, Or., January 24.—The Legislature met in joint session today to vote for United States Senator. The ballot stood: Dolph, 44; Moore, 19; Lord, 2; Hare, 10; Bennett, 8; Moody, 4; Williams, 1; Kincaid, 1. No choice.

Gave Up the Task.

PARIS, January 24.—M. Burgeoise has finally given up the task of attempting to form a Cabinet.

Appointed Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—The President today appointed E. E. Thrift Postmaster at Stockton, Cal.

BUSY.

Politicians Hard at Work.

Many Candidates Are in the Field.

The Populists Ready to Hold a Convention.

Republicans to Open Their Headquarters Tomorrow.

The Populists are actively engaged in preparing for the municipal fight and a full city ticket will be placed in the field under the People's party banner. The club plan of electing delegates to the convention, which will be held on Monday night, has been followed and nearly all the ward clubs have completed their list.

The candidates for Mayor are numerous, though the prospect seems that J. L. Davis will carry off the prize. He will have several opponents in the convention, however. Among them are Rev. S. Goodenough, who made a good fight for the Assembly in the Fifty-first district, and William P. Wheeler, the grocer.

The street talk is that Davis has a majority in the club delegations thus far selected.

J. J. Warner and R. Hesse have been mentioned as possible candidates for the nomination for Auditor and ex-officio Assessor.

City Treasurer Zach Gilpin is somewhat favored for a nomination for the place he now holds. Jones, the bazar man, though, has come into prominence within a day or so, while J. K. Miller will probably contend for the place as well.

The clubs will select and recommend the candidates for Councilman and School Director from the respective wards. In the First the delegation has named T. J. Roberts for Councilman. The Third ward has chosen H. M. Smith, the contractor, for Councilman, and C. S. Barnard for School Director. The Third ward has also recommended James K. Polk as Councilman-at-Large.

The Fourth ward has selected D. Johnson as Councilman and recommended J. M. Lassett at large.

In the Sixth ward H. D. Hougham is named.

E. M. Connon is mentioned from the Second ward.

Two clubs are fighting for supremacy in the Seventh ward. There will be a contest in the convention unless matters are adjusted before the convention meets.

The People's Party Convention will be held at Sunder's Hall, Tenth and Franklin streets. It will be called to order at 7:30 o'clock.

THEY MAY INDORSE.

Democrats Have No Settled Plans as to Nominations.

Thus far there is little activity among the local Democrats. The City Central Committee has not had a meeting since the last campaign, and up to date no time has been fixed for opening the fight on the coming municipal battle. Inquiry made among prominent members of the party does not reveal any definite plan as yet formulated. In a general way, there seems to be an idea that the Democrats shall hold a convention and indorse a set of candidates whose names shall appear on other tickets, irrespective of party.

It is said the committee will get together in a few days and discuss the situation. Cleve Dam, who is chairman of the city committee is preparing a call, but no time has yet been determined upon.

M. J. Laymance, who is chairman of the Democratic County Committee, was asked to give his views this morning.

"I wish you would say for me," he replied, "that I am strictly out of politics. I have got all I can do to attend to my private business. Are the Democrats going to nominate a ticket? Well, I guess so. The talk is that they will hold an indorsing convention after the other political parties are through and select the best men available from them. That is all I know about loca politics."

REPUBLICANS, PREPARE.

Headquarters Will Soon Be Opened on Broadway.

The Republican City Central Committee will open headquarters tomorrow in the Blake and Moffit building, corner Eighth street and Broadway. There is one question now most prominent in Republican circles, and that is who is the best man to lead the ticket at the coming election. The material from which to draw is excellent, and the only feature is the selection of the most fitting candidate, who will best represent the party and prove most acceptable to the citizens.

Under the plan which has been adopted for organizing the convention, the committee feels safe in declaring that it will be thoroughly representative in character and that its nominees will reflect the best judgment of the body which will make the selections.

The plan adopted has been warmly indorsed by leading Republicans. It is not a matter of doubt that the delegates selected by the conference committee will be thoroughly satisfactory. The committee today is canvassing the field for the names of those who they desire shall compose the committee on conference in choosing the delegates.

These names will probably not be announced for a day or so, as it is the intention of the committee to keep aloof almost entirely from any pressure.

Secretary Bishop is very hopeful that the convention will represent the very best element in the party. He is sanguine that the delegates when announced will prove highly acceptable to those who have the good government of the city at heart.

With this condition of affairs existing in the Republican ranks, it is a matter of difficulty to forecast the result of the convention in any particular. In a sense there are no candidates in the field as yet. The names which have been prominently mentioned in connection with the Mayoralty are George W. Reed, Councilman Barstow and J. W. Nelson.

Candidates for the other offices are not coming to the fore very rapidly as yet. City Treasurer Gilpin is in the fight for renomination. Grant I. Taggart has announced himself as a candidate for Auditor.

Councilman Mott of the First ward will seek indorsement, and D. S. Moulton is also in the field from the First. There will be a number of candidates for re-election among those who compose the present Council, though the fight has not yet reached an issue.

COUNCILMAN BARSTOW.

His Friends Say He Will Accept a Nomination.

There is strong talk on the street in favor of Councilman Barstow as the Republican nominee for Mayor. Mr. Barstow has made a good record as a Councilman, and has been an earnest friend and advocate of public improvements throughout his term, and friendship for public improvements is an essential quality in a candidate this year. Mr Barstow, however, will not talk on the subject of his possible nomination. He is not seeking the nomination for Mayor or any office—that is well known among all his friends; but the belief prevails among them that if the Republican nomination for Mayor is tendered to him by the convention next Monday he will regard it as an honor that a sense of duty will compel him to accept.

LEAGUE CANDIDATES.

Two Prominently Mentioned for Mayor.

The Municipal League has fully decided to put a ticket in the field and two names have been prominent as candidates before it for the nomination for Mayor, Councilman John F. Towle and ex-Councilman J. W. Nelson.

Mr. Towle is serving his second term in the Council. During the years 1889-91, he represented the second ward, and during the current term he is a Councilman-at-large. The first year of the current term, he served as President of the Council, and Acting-Mayor. He has made an acceptable representative during both terms, and his friends claim that he will make a good Mayor if he is nominated and elected.

Mr. Nelson served acceptably as Councilman from the Third ward during the years 1891-93. Through the first year of his term he was the presiding officer of the Council. His name was mentioned two years ago as a probable nominee of the Non-Partisan convention which put Mayor Pardee in nomination, he withdrawing in favor of Dr. Pardee before the convention met. He has a large following of earnest friends who will work hard to secure for him the Municipal League nomination for Mayor.

An Explanation Wanted.

Editor Tribune:—Will you explain to your many readers why the Republican City Central Committee recognizes as a member a man who has been a non-resident of Oakland for the last eighteen months, and is not now a resident? Is it possible that no worthy Republican can be found to serve, or is it necessary for the success of some hidden scheme that this non-resident should be imported?

FOURTH WARD REPUBLICANS.

Oakland, January 21, 1895.

GUNS CAPTURED.

Japanese Have a Snap With Chinese Troops.

A Short Fight Resulted in a Retreat.

The Mikado's Men Will Soon Push the Enemy.

SHANGHAI, January 24.—The Chinese transport Sahuma Maru, which returned to Ukima yesterday, reports that she left the gulf of Tahen Wen Saturday, January 19th, with other Japanese transports escorted by warships, and arrived off Yung Chang, not far from Wei Hai Wei, the Chinese war port on the Shan Tung peninsula, at daybreak Sunday, January 20th.

Ya Yeyama and other Japanese warships then landed detachments of marines, who met with but feeble resistance from Chinese troops, supported by four guns mounted ashore.

The fire of these guns was answered from the Japanese boats, and the Chinese eventually dispersed when the guns of the Japanese warships opened fire upon them.

The Japanese landing was effected without any loss being sustained by the invaders and the four guns, previously mentioned, were captured by the marines landed from the Ya Yeyama. Immediately afterward the landing of the Japanese troops began and was nearly completed when the Sahuma Maru left Yang Chang.

Monday last two English women, one German and one Chinese woman, who were found in charge of the Sham Tung lighthouse, were placed under the same pay as they had been receiving and were instructed in the interests of commercial and other traffic at sea to keep the light burning.

Civil Service Examinations.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—Civil Service examinations have been arranged as follows: March 20th, Cheyenne, Wyo.; April 1st, Pocatello, Idaho; April 3d, Salt Lake; April 13th, Tucson, Ariz.; April 19th, Los Angeles; April 22d, San Francisco; April 23d, Reno, Nev.; April 29th, Roseburg, Or.; May 1st, Portland, Or.; May 6th, Seattle; May 7th, Spokane; May 9th, Helena, Mont.

The Chicora Is Lost.

CHICAGO, January 24.—Late this afternoon a message was received from Captain Graham, one of the owners, saying that the Chicora is lost with all on board.

Damage by Fire.

NEW YORK, January 24.—A fire broke out in the kitchen of the Hotel Vendome at 7 o'clock and did $20,000 damage. There was no panic.

Death of a Prince.

YOKOHAMA, January 24.—Prince Arisugawa Taruhito, Chief of the General Staff, died of typhoid fever. He was 60 years of age.

GREAT DAMAGE.

Floods and Landslides in Sonoma County.

Narrow Escape of a Family From Death.

People in Guerneville Have to Travel in Boats.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., January 24.—The reports of damage done by the recent floods continue to come in. It is believed that the last storm was the most damaging of any had in Sonoma county for thirty years.

The Mark West creek overflowed its banks, nearly destroying two large wagon bridges and cutting up roads so that they are impassable for miles.

Communication with the unfortunate town of Guerneville has been re-established by telephone.

It will be at least ten days before train service can be resumed in that part of the country, as miles of track are gone.

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Corrupt Officials Are Scared.

Investigations May Soon Come.

General Desire Though to Proceed With Caution.

Interesting Work Before the Legislators at Sacramento.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

SACRAMENTO, January 23.—The tidal wave of reform started by Dr. Parkhurst in New York has reached the Pacific coast in all its immensity, and whether or not the officials it is intended to engulf can escape, is yet a matter of conjecture. One thing is certain, a vigorous crusade on the subject is being urged in the Legislature, and the topic has now become one of almost all-absorbing interest.

There is a feeling though among some of the members that the start has not been made in the right way. Frank Powers, chairman of the San Francisco delegation in the Assembly, is naturally one of the most interested men in the Legislature, and he is declaiming loudly against the proposition as it now stands.

"It is absolutely childish," he said. "They propose to probe the alleged police corruption in San Francisco by February 15th. It can't be done. Ewing, Spencer, Reed, Davis and Gay, who have been suggested for the committee, are all good men, but how can they, hampered as they would be by having witnesses kept out of their way, go to San Francisco, dig up all the evidence and return and report it to the Legislature within a few days? I am in favor of the investigation, but I want to see it done properly. If the methods of San Francisco are to be inquired into let the Legislature do it properly if it takes all summer, but certainly not by wasting the time of five good men and the money which would be entailed in the manner now proposed."

Senator Ellis, who as chairman of the Committee on Education and Public Morals in the upper house is brought most into touch there with the project, also has sensible views on the subject. In his opinion there should be no hasty action regarding a matter of such magnitude. He has been feeling the pulse of opinion, and he is satisfied that the investigation would be thoroughly indorsed, but he does not want to run up the heavy expenses that will be entailed unless it can be shown that the inquiry will be conducted fully.

"I do not think it possible to do the work and report to this Legislature," he says, "and it would therefore have to be left to a standing committee to report next session. A stenographer and attorney would have to be engaged, so you see why I am advocating full deliberation before we proceed on a matter so important as this."

It is authentically given out that if the commission is appointed Judge Wallace of San Francisco will divorce himself from all his other duties and become its attorney. He takes a great interest in all such proceedings, and, furthermore the position would bring him much fame.

TO SHAKE UP THE BLIND HOME.

The Blind Home of Oakland is to receive a thorough overhauling. Governor Budd, after listening to the complaints of the visiting committee has decided to make a personal investigation, and when the session is over and he has some time to himself, he will proceed there and will determine what is true and what is not. From the way he talks he will probably make a clean sweep of the directorate if he considers the charges sustained. The Governor thinks that the Blind Home should be kept out of politics, and if he does appoint a complete new board it will be a non-partisan one.

THE BALL ALL RIGHT.

Nothing now stands in the way of the success of the Inaugural Ball. The removal of the Senatorial fight from the arena has given the members an opportunity to perfect the various arrangements, and it has been determined to adjourn from Saturday noon until Tuesday. Two bands of music have been engaged and the committee promises that the entertainment provided will be as elaborate as anything before attempted.

TO PENSION SCHOOLTEACHERS.

Schoolteachers throughout the State will be called on to consider a measure which is to be pushed by Senator Bert. It provides for an annuity and retirement fund, to be operated in the following manner: It shall be in the hands of a Board of Trustees, consisting of the Superintendent of Schools, Treasurer and Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of each county.

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The pensions are apportioned at $15 a month for each teacher who retires after twenty years' service, and $50 a month for those who serve twenty-five years. All money that accumulates in the fund over and above what is needed is to be turned over each year to the General fund of each county.

The California Experimental Station at Berkeley is figuring on a bill prepared by Senator Simpson in connection with the proper scheduling of fertilizers. The measure provides that samples of all fertilizers placed on the market at more than $7 50 a ton shall be analyzed at the State University. Professor Hilgard is personally making an effort to have the bill passed.

A ROAD ENGINEER.

A measure in which Alameda county is directly interested has been drawn up by Senator Holloway. It ordains that the Supervisors of each county shall appoint a road engineer, who must be a competent road builder. The official proposed is to hold office for a term not exceeding two years and his pay shall be as follows: In counties containing 300 miles of roads or less, $1200 per annum; more than 300 and not exceeding 600, $1600; over 600 and not exceeding 1000, $2000; all over 1000, $2500 per annum.

TO CUT DOWN ATTACHES.

Senator Elliott McAllister's desire for retrenchment has led him to draw up a bill which regulates the list of attaches to each branch of the Legislature, giving the power, however, to make additions on a vote of four-fifths of the members elected. The statutory officers are provided for as now, but the subordinate places are slaughtered beyond all recognition. For instance, the bill only allows in the Senate ten committee clerks and five assistants, who must be stenographers, while for the Assembly, twelve committee clerks are apportioned and six assistants. Seven pages are allowed for the Assembly, and six for the Senate.

THE ELECTION OF PERKINS.

The Senatorial contest has now gone into history, and the closing scenes will be remembered with pleasure by those who participated in them. Senator Perkins' address was full of good, sober thought and sound sense, and the frequent interruptions of applause bore testimony to the appreciation with which his remarks were received. Assemblyman Dodge started things going in lively style by proposing three cheers for the Senator, and as the hurrahing ceased, the Alameda, looking a little pale, but perfectly self-possessed, made his response of thanks for his election.

The Senator took back with him to Oakland a little bundle of yellow papers that he prizes very highly. It consists of the congratulatory dispatches he received after getting the nomination, and it seems as if every one of prominence hastened to shake hands with him in spirit. Oakland was particularly well represented in the telegrams, and a pleasant feature was that many of them were from those who had been mentioned as his rivals for the place.

VOORHEES AND HIS VOTE.

Senator Voorhees is not pleased with the statement that has gone out that he with Assemblymen Tibbits, Coleman and Dunbar was instrumental in the downfall of De Young through not voting for Reddick as had been anticipated.

"I don't see how any one thought I would vote for Reddick," he said, "I am sure I never said so, and certainly not to Mr. Stone with whom I did not exchange a word during his stay in Sacramento. At one time I had intended placing Neff in nomination and voting for him, but I decided that it would be simply throwing away my ballot to do so, and I therefore cast my vote for Perkins."

H. M. COLLINS HERE AGAIN.

Now that the Senatorial contest is out of the way, H. M. Collins is on the scene again to push his claims for the seat now occupied by McDonald. He will ask the committee to give him an early hearing, and it will unoubtedly be granted, as such an arrangement was tacitly understood when Collins asked to have the whole matter go over until the Senatorial fight was out of the way.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Senators Seymour and Mathews and Assemblymen Dodge, Dixon and Langenour were those honored in being appointed to escort Senator Perkins to the chair.

D. Edward Collins is here from Oakland.

C. M. Shortridge of the San Francisco *Call* and Sam Rucker of San Jose came up to witness the joint session and at once returned to San Francisco.

Commodore Phil Caduc of the San Francisco Yacht Club is at the Golden Eagle.

Dan Cole is still holding down first base at the Capital Hotel.

Billy Hamilton and Colonel Jackson were two of the happiest men on the floor when the cheering started up for Senator Perkins.

Senator Henderson wants the Legislature to instruct the Harbor Commissioners to pay a claim of $1250 for the Pacific Transfer Company.

The first weekly history of the Senate contains 291 bills, nine joint resolutions and twelve constitutional amendments. The Assembly history for the week contains 315 bills, four concurrent resolution and nineteen constitutional amendments.

Up to date the Alameda county delegation in the Assembly has introduced twenty-six bills, distributed as follows: Dodge, 8; Waymire, 12; Fassett, 5; Gay, 1.

W. Jay Schmidt, the Berkeley spendthrift, intends taking in the Inaugural Ball in style. A dispatch (collect) was received from him today, reading: "Secure passes for the ball for Neary and myself and three horses. Also secure apartments and, if possible, negotiate loan of dress suit for Neary. I will appear at ball in character as Goddess of Liberty." HATTON.

POLICE CORRUPTION.

A Law to Be Framed to Provide for an Investigation.

SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The resolution of Ewing for an investigation of the corruption of the San Francisco Police Department was the special order for this morning.

Waymire of Alameda said that the Lexow Committee was appointed by virtue of a statute, and offered a substitute resolution directing the Attorney General to draft a law granting authority to a committee to investigate the police and also San Francisco election frauds.

The committee shall sit as long as necessary.

The substitute was adopted by 75 to 4.

The Assembly then took up and concurred in a Senate resolution permitting the use of the Capitol for the inaugural ball.

As an urgency measure, under suspension of the rules, a bill appropriating $50,000 for the support of the State Printing Office was read first, second and third times and passed.

Phelps, chairman of the Committee on Retrenchment, offered a resolution giving the committee power to send sub-committees at will to investigate State institutions.

Phelps declared that the State was robbed right and left, especially in the management of the Preston School of Industry at Ione. The resolution was adopted.

HINTON WINS.

He Is Appointed Registrar of San Francisco.

How the Fight Was Made at Sacramento.

Andy Clunie and Others Will Be Provided For.

Special to The Tribune.

CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, January 24.—The Governor has appointed William M. Hinton, Registrar in San Francisco.

The fight simmered down to between him and Alonzo A. Watkins of W. W. Montague & Co.

Watkins, however, refused to accept the place and withdrew, leaving the field clear for Hinton.

Jack Hammond retired from the race and Sammy Braunhardt, who was also a candidate for the place, withdrew with the conditions, it is understood, that he will be appointed Port Warden.

Andy Clunie held out for the place and for a long time refused to accept anything else.

It is believed, though, he will be appointed Attorney of the State Board of Health, a position now held by George Knight.

If, however, the office is abolished by the present Legislature, Clunie will be otherwise provided for. HATTON.

MINERAL LANDS.

Senator Power Anxious to Have Them Classified.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—Senator Power has returned to the Senate and resumed his efforts to pass a bill for the classification of mineral lands in the Northern Pacific grant.

He is hopeful of securing the passage of the House bill before adjournment and was today assured that no more patents will be issued to these lands while the present Congress is in session.

NO WARNING.

A Newspaper Correspondent Killed by a Judge.

BAZORIA, Tex., January 24.—R. M. McChinn, a newspaper correspondent of Velasco, was killed here by Judge Harry Masterson.

McChinn was a witness in an important suit.

He had been in Brazoria but a few minutes when Masterson opened fire upon him, killing him instantly.

Masterson surrendered.

Trying to Elect Senators.

OLYMPIA, Wash., January 24.—The ninth ballot for Senator was as follows: Ankeney, 25; Wilson, 7; Allen, 24; Turner, 19; McMillen, 5; Rogers, 23; Wallace, 6; Manring, 1. Joint session dissolved to noon tomorrow.

SALEM, Or., January 24.—The Legislature met in joint session today to vote for United States Senator. The ballot stood: Dolph, 44; Moore, 19; Lord, 2; Hare, 10; Bennett, 8; Moody, 4; Williams, 1; Kincaid, 1. No choice.

Gave Up the Task.

PARIS, January 24.—M. Burgeoize has finally given up the task of attempting to form a Cabinet.

Appointed Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—The President today appointed E. E. Thrift Postmaster at Stockton, Cal.

BUSY.

Politicians Hard at Work.

Many Candidates Are in the Field.

The Populists Ready to Hold a Convention.

Republicans to Open Their Headquarters Tomorrow.

The Populists are actively engaged in preparing for the municipal fight and a full city ticket will be placed in the field under the People's party banner. The club plan of electing delegates to the convention, which will be held on Monday night, has been followed and nearly all the ward clubs have completed their list.

The candidates for Mayor are numerous, though the prospect seems that J. L. Davie will carry off the prize. He will have several opponents in the convention, however. Among them are Rev. S. Goodenough, who made a good fight for the Assembly in the Fifty-first district, and William P. Wheeler, the grocer.

The street talk is that Davie has a majority in the club delegations thus far selected.

J. J. Warner and R. Hesse have been mentioned as possible candidates for the nomination for Auditor and ex-officio Assessor.

City Treasurer Zach Gilpin is somewhat favored for a nomination for the place he now holds. Jones, the bazar man, though, has come into prominence within a day or so, while J. K. Miller will probably contend for the place as well.

The clubs will select and recommend the candidates for Councilman and School Director from the respective wards. In the First the delegation has named T. J. Roberts for Councilman. The Third ward has chosen H. M. Smith, the contractor, for Councilman, and C. S. Barnard for School Director. The Third ward has also recommended James K. Polk as Councilman-at-Large.

The Fourth ward has selected D. Johnson as Councilman and recommended J. M. Bassett at large.

In the Sixth ward H. D. Hougham is named.

E. M. Connon is mentioned from the Second ward.

Two clubs are fighting for supremacy in the Seventh ward. There will be a contest in the convention unless matters are adjusted before the convention meets.

The People's Party Convention will be held at Sinder's Hall, Tenth and Franklin streets. It will be called to order at 7:30 o'clock.

THEY MAY INDORSE.

Democrats Have No Settled Plans as to Nominations.

Thus far there is little activity among the local Democrats. The City Central Committee has not had a meeting since the last campaign, and up to date no time has been fixed for opening the fight on the coming municipal battle. Inquiry made among prominent members of the party does not reveal any definite plan as yet formulated. In a general way, there seems to be an idea that the Democrats shall hold a convention and indorse a set of candidates whose names shall appear on other tickets, irrespective of party.

It is said the committee will get together in a few days and discuss the situation. Cleve Dam, who is chairman of the city committee, is preparing a call, but no time has yet been determined upon.

M. J. Laymance, who is chairman of the Democratic County Committee, was asked to give his views this morning.

"I wish you would say for me," he replied, "that I am strictly out of politics. I have got all I can do to attend to my private business. Are the Democrats going to nominate a ticket? Well, I guess so. The talk is that they will hold an indorsing convention after the other political parties are through and select the best men available from them. That is all I know about local politics."

REPUBLICANS, PREPARE.

Headquarters Will Soon Be Opened on Broadway.

The Republican City Central Committee will open headquarters tomorrow in the Blake and Moffitt building, corner Eighth street and Broadway. There is one question now most prominent in Republican circles, and that is who is the best man to lead the ticket at the coming election. The material from which to draw is excellent, and the only feature is the selection of the most fitting candidate, who will best represent the party and prove most acceptable to the citizens.

Under the plan which has been adopted for organizing the convention, the committee feels safe in declaring that it will be thoroughly representative in character and that its nominees will reflect the best judgment of the body which will make the selections.

The plan adopted has been warmly indorsed by leading Republicans. It is not a matter of doubt that the delegates selected by the conference committee will be thoroughly satisfactory. The committee today is canvassing the field for the names of those who they desire shall compose the committee on conference in choosing the delegates.

These names will probably not be announced for a day or so, as it is the intention of the committee to keep aloof almost entirely from any pressure.

Secretary Bishop is very hopeful that the convention will represent the very best element in the party. He is sanguine that the delegates when announced will prove highly acceptable to those who have the good government of the city at heart.

With this condition of affairs existing in the Republican ranks, it is a matter of difficulty to forecast the result of the convention in any particular. In a sense there are no candidates in the field as yet. The names which have been prominently mentioned in connection with the Mayoralty are George W. Reed, Councilman Barstow and J. W. Nelson.

Candidates for the other offices are not coming to the fore very rapidly as yet. City Treasurer Gilpin is in the fight for renomination. Grant I. Taggart has announced himself as a candidate for Auditor.

Councilman Mott of the First ward will seek indorsement, and D. S. Moulton is also in the field from the First. There will be a number of candidates for re-election among those who compose the present Council, though the fight has not yet reached an issue.

COUNCILMAN BARSTOW.

His Friends Say He Will Accept a Nomination.

There is strong talk on the street in favor of Councilman Barstow as the Republican nominee for Mayor. Mr. Barstow has made a good record as a Councilman, and has been an earnest friend and advocate of public improvements throughout his term, and friendship for public improvements is an essential quality in a candidate this year. Mr Barstow, however, will not talk on the subject of his possible nomination. He is not seeking the nomination for Mayor or any office—that is well known among all his friends; but the belief prevails among them that if the Republican nomination for Mayor is tendered to him by the convention next Monday he will regard it as an honor that a sense of duty will compel him to accept.

LEAGUE CANDIDATES.

Two Prominently Mentioned for Mayor.

The Municipal League has fully decided to put a ticket in the field and two names have been prominent as candidates before it for the nomination for Mayor, Councilman John F. Towle and ex-Councilman J. W. Nelson.

Mr. Towle is serving his second term in the Council. During the years 1889-91, he represented the second ward, and during the current term he is a Councilman-at-large. The first year of the current term, he served as President of the Council, and Acting-Mayor. He has made an acceptable representative during both terms, and his friends claim that he will make a good Mayor if he is nominated and elected.

Mr. Nelson served acceptably as Councilman from the Third ward during the years 1891-93. Through the first year of his term he was the presiding officer of the Council. His name was mentioned two years ago as a probable nominee of the Non-Partisan convention which put Mayor Pardee in nomination, he withdrawing in favor of Dr. Pardee before the convention met. He has a large following of earnest friends who will work hard to secure for him the Municipal League nomination for Mayor.

An Explanation Wanted.

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FOURTH WARD REPUBLICANS.

Oakland, January 24, 1895.

GUNS CAPTURED.

Japanese Have a Snap With Chinese Troops.

A Short Fight Resulted in a Retreat.

The Mikado's Men Will Soon Push the Enemy.

SHANGHAI, January 24.—The Chinese transport Sahuma Maru, which returned to Ukima yesterday, reports that she left the gulf of Talien Wen Saturday, January 19th, with other Japanese transports escorted by warships, and arrived off Yung Chang, not far from Wei Hai Wei, the Chinese war port on the Shan Tung peninsula, at daybreak Sunday, January 20th.

Ya Yeyama and other Japanese warships then landed detachments of marines, who met with but feeble resistance from Chinese troops, supported by four guns mounted ashore.

The fire of these guns was answered from the Japanese boats, and the Chinese eventually dispersed when the guns of the Japanese warships opened fire upon them.

The Japanese landing was effected without any loss being sustained by the invaders and the four guns, previously mentioned, were captured by the marines landed from the Ya Yeyama. Immediately afterward the landing of the Japanese troops began and was nearly completed when the Sahuma Maru left Yang Chang.

Monday last two English women, one German and one Chinese woman, who were found in charge of the Sham Tung lighthouse, were placed under the same pay as they had been receiving and were instructed in the interests of commercial and other traffic at sea to keep the light burning.

Civil Service Examinations.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—Civil Service examinations have been arranged as follows: March 29th, Cheyenne, Wyo.; April 1st, Pocatello, Idaho; April 3d, Salt Lake; April 13th, Tucson, Ariz.; April 19th, Los Angeles; April 22d, San Francisco; April 23d, Reno, Nev.; April 29th, Roseburg, Or.; May 1st, Portland, Or.; May 4th, Seattle; May 7th, Spokane; May 9th, Helena, Mont.

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Trying Hard to Work up a Feeling of Patriotism.

COMITAN (State of Chiapas), Mex., January 24. — The Government has pushed fresh forces to the Guatemalan frontier almost daily, and camp quarters for a large body of men have been arranged for near this place.

Some Guatemalans living in this vicinity have fled to Mexico rather than be pressed into an unwilling service.

Guatemala is using every effort to work up feelings of patriotism among the people. Nearly every horse for 100 miles from the border has been secured by one means or another.

The uncommunicative policy of the Guatemalan Government is having a disastrous effect upon the public order.

Residents of the frontier fear an invasion of mounted Mexican Rurals.

It is generally felt that should a war ensue the frontier will be so overrun by troops and pillaging renegades that life will be a burden.

Fugitives from Guatemala soil are arriving here almost daily.

They number many refugees from the Guatemalan interior, but are for the most part native-born Mexicans, who have taken up a residence in Guatemala.

Large parties are on their way from Quetzaltenango, Northern Guatemala, either afraid to remain home, or coming with the purpose of enlisting against the Government.

AN UNFOUNDED REPORT.

ACAPULCO, State of Guerrero, Mex., January 24.—The report that the armed Mexican corvette Zaragoza has invaded Guatemalan waters and was lying off the harbor of San Jose is not true.

The schoolship was loaded with munition and provisions of war for Mazatlan for the supply of Mexican troops, tributary to the ports of San Benito and Santa Cruz, on the Southern coast. Having discharged its commission, it is now on its return trip to Mazatlan, where it will await further orders.

ANXIOUS TO FIGHT.

MEXICO CITY, January 24.—With an immense demonstration of the students in this capital, the war feeling throughout the republic has been wrought to a high pitch.

Reports from the interior points show a rising spirit of patriotism among the people and it is probable that other great popular uprisings will occur in many cities.

A full report of the proceedings was sent by the Guatemalan Republic to President Barrios at Guatemala, and it said to have created a profound impression in Government circles.

This city is quiet, although efforts at patriotic storm are easily descernible.

The volunteer movement is rapidly spreading.

It would evidently be possible to raise 25,000 volunteers in this city alone in a day or two if the General Government only indicated a need for assistance.

A telegram from Guatemala says that the Spanish Minister in Madrid will not interfere in any way in the Pacific question with Mexico.

The indications are that Barrios, President of Guatemala, expects aid from Spain on account of his bold stand.

THE CONVENTS.

Subject of Mrs. Bruner's Lecture This Evening.

The "Celibacy of Priests" formed the subject of Mrs. Jane Woodworth Bruner's lecture yesterday afternoon at Hamilton Hall. The lady speaker had a large audience, which was in close touch with the trend of the lecturer's remarks.

Mrs. Bruner is a highly capable and convincing platform debater. Her lecture indicated a close and deliberate study of the subject.

She was the recipient of many congratulations at the close of the lecture yesterday, when many of the audience pressed forward to personally greet her.

The last lecture in the course will be given this evening. The subject will be "Convent Horrors." Those present yesterday expressed their intention to attend this evening.

COMPROMISED.

A Widow Gets Damages for Her Husband's Death.

Mrs. Sarah Lynch's suit against the Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company for $30,000 damages has been compromised, and this morning judgment was rendered by stipulation in favor of Mrs. Lynch for $9000.

The suit was the outcome of the death of Mrs. Lynch's husband, James T. Lynch, who was killed by an electric car in Alameda on October 16, 1894. The deceased was at the time of his death driving a four-horse butcher wagon along McPherson street, and was run into by an electric car while crossing Santa Clara avenue. Delmas & Shortridge of San Francisco were Mrs. Lynch's attorneys.

COURT NOTES.

J. S. Carr has commenced a suit against Moses J. Frank and the Union Savings Bank to foreclose a street assessment lien for $467 72 for street work alleged to have been performed on East Twenty-first street. Carr also sues M. V. Taylor and Jane Weeks for $103 51. B. McFadden is attorney for the plaintiff.

The Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company has notified the attorneys for Mrs. Susan Hommell that it will move to have the costs in the case retaxed. The company claims that Mrs. Hommell's cost bill was prematurely filed.

The trial of Perry Johnson's suit against Mary Dixon was this morning continued to April 6th.

Eric Erickson's trial for forgery went over till January 29th.

G. D. Vincent has filed an amended complaint in his suit against W. F. Perry and others to recover $1050 for money loaned and advanced.

W. S. Harlow has filed his bond in the sum of $10, as commissioner to sell the property involved in the suit of John Schunck against M. L. Wurts et al. His sureties are T. F. Graber and H. L. Osgood.

Jane Cheney and Oliver Cheney have demurred to the complaint of Charles Armstrong on the ground that it does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause for action.

No Money for an Engine House.

The rejection of bids for the proposed new fire engine house on Twenty-fifth street, has relegated that project to the very dim future. The lack of funds will prevent anything further being done until the next fiscal year.

A HEAVY LOSS.

The Oakland Home Business Is Discussed.

A Complete Report Made to the Stockholders.

Secretary Sites Tells the Story of the Failure.

When THE TRIBUNE went to press yesterday afternoon, the meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Home Insurance Company was still in progress.

Assistant Secretary Sites presented an interesting report, in which he made a complete showing of the condition of the company. Mr. Sites said:

"During the year 1893 the gross premiums written by the company aggregated in round numbers nearly $9-3,000, or an average of $82,000 per month. The company to this time had gained a degree of popularity pre-eminently pleasing to its members; but at the same time it provoked the enmity of certain rivals who, envious of the business held by the company in certain districts, turned loose the tongue of slander and inuendo persistently, which, gaining color and credence by the reinsurance of the Western department and the unfavorable criticism of newspapers, caused the business to drop for a period of five months in 1891, to the insignificant sum of $93,000, or an average of say $19,000 per month gross.

"But two alternatives were left to your Board of Directors, either to liquidate the business through a receiver or to reinsure. The latter method was determined upon, as policy holders were thus amply protected, and the bonds of the company preserved. The preliminaries were, therefore arranged, and the final contract of reinsurance was signed with the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, on May 11, 1891.

"In 1893 the net income of the Pacific department or States, handled by the home office, was $158,000, showing a gain from business for 1893 in the Pacific department of $20,000. For the same period the net income of the Western department was $448,000, showing a loss of business in that department for 1893 of $25,000. For the year 1894 the net premiums collected from the business of the Pacific department were $154,103, showing a shrinkage of $65,000. For the same period the net premiums collected from the Western department business was $53,800, showing a shrinkage of $101,200.

"From these foregoing complications it appears that the shrinkage for the years 1893 and 1894 were as follows:

Western department, 1893	$25,000
Western department, 1894	101,200
Pacific department, 1894	65,000
Total	$191,000
Less gain in Pacific department for 1893	20,000
Leaving actual loss from business sources of income	$171,103

"In addition to this the company paid for two years as follows: Taxes, $9200; Pacific Insurance Union, $2300; dividends (eight months of 1893), $12,000; losses through bad accounts, $11,700; Sun reinsurance losses of Western department, $107,300; to reinsure the Pacific department, $137,600; paid on account of bills payable, $62,850, making a grand total of $537,053.

"To meet this excessive drain the company was forced to call in its mortgages, to sell its real estate, bonds, stocks and other investments, and realized therefrom as follows: From rent, $7800; from interest, $20,200; from mortgages, $173,100; from real estate, $121,000; from stocks, $5900; from bonds, $40,000; savings banks, $13,200; special agents, $500; warrants, $850; assessment of September 20, 1893, $100,000; bills payable (money borrowed), $115,000, a grand total of $598,150.

"During the two years 1893 and 1894 the company received from all sources in round numbers, net, the sum of $1,096,150. Out of this payments were made as follows: Losses, net, $618,900; cancellations, net, $109,100; commissions, etc., net, $332,100; reinsuring the company, $336,900; borrowed money, $62,850; all other liens, $55,200, making a total of $1,092,000 and leaving a balance on hand on January 1, 1895, of $1100. The total loss in the Western department was $316,000, made up of the following items: Loss in Western department, net, $120,000; Sun reinsurance losses, $20,000; cost of reinsuring the Western department, net, $167,300.

"It must be borne in mind that the monthly income of the Western department was always more than absorbed by its own losses and expenses, so that it was never a source of revenue to the home office. On the contrary, the home office not only had to bear the burden of the Western department re-insurance reserve liability, but from its own field had to furnish the money and protect the policyholders of that department. Truly may it be said that the Western department was the quicksand that engulfed the ship, for in it was more than buried the amount of the original capital and the assessment of $50 per share combined. On January 1, 1895, the condition of the company was as follows:

"Assets: Cash on hand and in bank, $1129 28; loans, secured by mortgage, $51,392 28; uncollected premiums (balance due from agents), $16,654 21; premium notes, $7290 99; bills receivable, $3968 71; Des Moines Insurance Company, $1008; Northwest Fire and Marine Insurance Company, $347 66; Westchester Fire Insurance Company, $40 01; warrants, $40; interest due on mortgages, $3908 12. Total assets, $88,732 26.

"The liabilities are $70,845 71, of which the principal items are: Due First National Bank, Oakland, $1000; due First National Bank, San Francisco, $50,850; unpaid losses (in litigation), estimated, $10,800.

"The apparent surplus for stockholders is $17,886 55.

"In other words, if all the remaining assets of the company could be collected there would be left, after paying all obligations, a dividend for stockholders of some $8 per share; but there is bound to be a large shrinkage in the items of uncollected premium notes, and the best that can be hoped for is to have the affairs of the company come out even.

"In conclusion: The assessment of $50 per share levied September 21, 1893, did not save the company, as was hoped, yet it did prevent the bringing of lawsuits which would have brought about serious complications that would have forced the company into a receiver's hands and compelled stockholders to pay a much larger assessment than the one levied.

"On January 1, 1893, the books of the company showed some $75,000 cash on hand, but as this amount, or its equivalent, with other sums, had gone into mortgages and other investments, it does not appear in this report because it would simply raise the figures equally on either side without in anywise affecting the result. In other words the $75,000 helped build the investments, the proceeds of which are duly accounted for in detail herein."

The committee appointed will examine the books and report at the meeting to be held February 23d.

BOLD ROBBERS.

They Beat an Agent and Rob a Safe.

SUGARLAND, Tex., January 24. — Masked men rode to the railway and express office here, and demanded of the agent, Adams, the safe's contents.

After a severe beating Adams opened the safe, and the robbers took $1500.

The citizens undertook to stop the robbers.

A sharp battle took place, but the highwaymen escaped to the Brazos swamp.

A posse started in pursuit, and returned with four prisoners — Crane, Thompson, Denton and Flowers. The posse is still scouring the country for the others.

"Convent Doors Must Be Opened"
TUESDAY, January 22, 1895—8 P. M.

"Why Priests Do Not Marry"
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WEDNESDAY, January 23—2:30 P. M.

"Convent Horrors"
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Admission. - - 25 Cents
Just enough to pay expenses.

AN EXCITING FIRE.

Forty People Escape From a Burning Building.

CHICAGO, January 24.—The fashionable three-story boarding house of Ira T. Wilson, 318-320 Michigan avenue, was gutted by fire this morning.

The forty people in the house were still abed.

Six were taken from the top story by firemen.

Two women were carried out unconscious, but none were fatally injured, however.

All the furniture and private property were destroyed.

GETTING TIRED.

The Strikers Are About Ready to Quit.

Police Have Another Battle With a Mob.

Cars Are Run Under the Protection of Militiamen.

BROOKLYN, January 24. — About 3 o'clock this morning the Seventeenth precinct police had a lively fight with wire-cutting strikers at Broadway and Sumpter streets, and captured two.

One was so badly clubbed that he was taken to the station in an ambulance.

Fifty non-union men left the Flushing avenue stables this morning to open a cross town line. The cars were guarded by four policemen and the Eighth Battalion.

The first car which left the stables was held up at Franklin street and Green Point avenue by strikers.

All the windows were broken, but the police used their clubs freely and the car was taken through the mob.

The motorman was hit by a brick and flying glass. No one else was injured.

At 9 o'clock the Court street car was stoned at Hamilton and Court street. The crowd was dispersed by the police.

At strike headquarters today it is the general opinion that the big strike has about run its course. The strikers seemed despondent. There will be a conference this afternoon, it is said, to discuss the propriety of calling off the strike.

BROOKLYN, January 24.—Thomas Kearney, the roofer who was shot on the house-top by a militiaman, on Hicks street yesterday, is dead.

STEALING NEWS.

A Bill Designed to Prevent the Tapping of Wires.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—There was such a meager attendance at the opening of the Senate today that Hoar called attention to the absence of a quorum and said a roll call was necessary.

Among the bills introduced was one by Chandler (Rep.) to prevent the tapping of telegraph wires used by the news associations.

This is to prevent stealing news and was made necessary by recent developments in Chicago, when various other associations, by means of wire-tapping, were making use of the Associated Press news.

In the discussion of Lodge's Hawaiian resolution in the Senate today George of Mississippi made a careful argument to show that there was no popular suffrage and no real republican form of government in Hawaii.

WILL RETALIATE.

City Officials at Stockton to Make a New Move.

STOCKTON, Cal., January 24.—The City Council and officials propose to separate the city from San Joaquin county by extending the city limits to an area six by eight miles, forming a city and county of Stockton, because the county refuses to contribute to the fund for protecting the city from overflow by the drainage system.

A Roof Blaze

An alarm was turned in at 7 o'clock last night for a roof fire at 1161 Market street, caused by a defective flue. The blaze was extinguished with nominal damages. The edifice—a two-story frame building—is owned by a Mrs. Collins.

A Council Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee of the Council will be held tonight.

IN COURT.

Argument on the Special Election Case.

A Request to Have the Judges Sit in Banc.

Both Sides Represented by Able Legal Talent.

The petition for the writ of mandate to compel the Mayor and members of the City Council to cause to be submitted to the qualified electors of this city, at a general or special election, the questions of amendments to the city charter was called in Judge Ogden's court this morning.

There was a large number of citizens present, because it was known that, if the writ should be granted, it would have the effect of doing away with the special charter amendment election which has been called for Saturday next.

The petitioners, Orrin Page and John Trotter, were represented by Attorney George E. De Golia, and Harvey S. Brown represented certain private interests.

The city was represented by City Attorney Johnson and Messrs. W. R. Davis and Lair Hill of city water front counsel.

When the case had been called Giles Gray, a prominent member of the Municipal League, arose and addressed the court.

He said that while he is not an attorney, he desired to state that he thought it would be more pleasing to his honor, Judge Ogden, and, at the same time afford a great deal more satisfaction to the public, if the case at bar could be heard in banc.

Judge Ogden said he would be pleased to have the case heard in the manner suggested, if the counsel interested would secure the consent of other judges to act in the premises.

The case was then continued till 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Counsel then called upon Judges Ellsworth and Frick and placed the matter before them, and received the assurance that they would be pleased to sit with Judge Ogden in the case.

The case was not opened until about 2:15 P. M., when the judges named appeared on the bench.

W. R. Davis filed a legal answer, which, he said, was in effect, a demurrer setting forth that the petition would not afford the remedy sought.

Mr. De Golia then addressed the court.

He claimed that, under the constitution and the city charter, which latter embraced, in some respects, the Political code, the Council has no right to call a special election for the purposes specified.

He showed that the amendments submitted could be put before the people only at a general or special election.

A general election was one held in November every two years, a special election was one held in March.

A special election is one called to fill a vacancy in office.

This, he claimed, is not the time for a general election, and there is no vacancy in office to be filled.

The argument is in progress as THE TRIBUNE goes to press.

HEART FAILURE.

Lieutenant J. A. Turner Stricken With a Fatal Attack.

Lieutenant J. A. Turner, who recently retired from the United States Marine corps, died suddenly at the Occidental Hotel, San Francisco, yesterday morning. He had been suffering from heart troubles for a year or more and it was owing to this that he succumbed.

The deceased officer had a large circle of friends in San Francisco and this city who will deeply mourn his untimely end. He was extremely popular with his associates in the navy.

Lieutenant Turner married Miss Belle Sullivan, a sister of Frank J. Sullivan, some years ago. He was appointed to the Marine Corps from Texas in 1876 and in 1885 was promoted to be a lieutenant. For some time he was stationed at Mare Island.

Lieutenant Turner was 57 years of age and leaves a child besides his widow.

A HOME PRIDE.

Hook's Furniture Store, Largest in the West.

The largest furniture store west of Chicago is located in Oakland. The credit for this is due to E. Hook, the well-known furniture man who has been in business in this city for many years, and whose furniture has long been the pride of hundreds of the comfortable homes and tastily appointed residences of the millionaires on this side of the bay.

Hook's store is 411 to 415 Eleventh street and 416 to 426 Twelfth street. It has an immense frontage and is actually a block in length. This great institution is stocked with the finest assortment of everything required to furnish a home. Everything is of the latest and most beautiful design in the matter of furniture, carpets, oilcloths, window shades, lace curtains, cornices, mats, and all these may be obtained at the lowest prices.

A WRIT DENIED.

Herman Kohler Cannot Have a Jury Trial.

Herman Kohler's petition for a writ of mandate, compelling Police Judge F. X. Wood to grant him a jury trial, was dismissed in the Superior Court by Judge Frick this afternoon.

When the hearing of the matter was called Attorney J. C. Martin, representing Judge Wood, raised a technical objection to the proceedings. He claimed that a writ of mandate was not proper procedure and stated that Kohler's only remedy was an appeal. He quoted several authorities in support of his objection.

Colonel Thomas E. Garrity and Carl H. Abbott, Kohler's attorneys, were surprised at the stand taken by Mr. Martin and said that when they brought the action they did not expect to be met by any such objection, but that the case would be tried on its merits. Attorney Abbott then moved for a dismissal of the petition, which was ordered by the court.

Attorneys Garrity and Abbott declare that they will now take the slower process and appeal.

SHE WAS INSANE.

An Inquest on the Remains of Mrs. Loughridge.

Coroner Baldwin held an inquest today on the remains of Mrs. Bessie Webb Loughridge, who committed suicide at her home at Berkeley. The jury found that she took poison while temporarily insane.

United States Prisoners.

Suzuki Matsutara, a Japanese, and Ben Beach and Thomas Johnson were lodged in the County Jail last night by Deputy United States Marshals Moffitt and Harris. The Japanese is charged with unlawfully importing two Japanese women into the United States. Beach and Johnson are accused of counterfeiting.

The Drum Estate.

Judge Frick this morning, at the request of the executors of the estate of the late John S. Drum, ordered that the property belonging to the estate at the northwest corner of Eleventh and Broadway be distributed equally between Frank G. Drum, John S. Drum, Cassie M. Drum, Clara G. Drum and William G. Drum.

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Free Library News.

Two cases of books, comprising 250 volumes, were received at the Free Library yesterday. The volumes comprise many English magazines and works of a historical character. Librarian Peterson has duplicate sets of books ready for the use of firemen in each engine house in the city. The sets each contain twenty-five volumes.

A Move for Cleanliness.

The corporation yard, between the City Hall and the Free Library building, is to be abandoned. Street Superintendent Harrison will lay out a grass plot and remove all the unsightly debris that has littered the ground for years.

A Mail Wagon Damaged.

A horse, attached to a mail wagon, became frightened at a street parade this morning at the corner of Twelfth street and Broadway, and ran against a hitching post, smashing the harness and breaking the front axle of the wagon.

School Improvement.

Street Superintendent Harrison commenced work this morning on a cement sidewalk around the Lafayette school.

Going to New York.

H. C. Taft left today for New York city on a business trip.

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BORN.

LAWSON—In Berkeley, January 20, 1895, to the wife of A. C. Lawson, a son.
RUSSELL—In Alameda, January 1, 1895, to the wife of James R. Russell, a son.
LEVY—In San Francisco, January 21, 1895, to the wife of Nathan Levy, a son.
MITCHELL—In San Francisco, January 22, 1895, to the wife of Sam Mitchell, a son.
MERKELBACH—In San Francisco, January 21, 1895, to the wife of William E. Merkelbach, a son.
CALDERWOOD—In San Francisco, January 23, 1895, to the wife of R. Calderwood, a daughter.

MARRIED.

CROSBY—DECOTO—In Decoto, Alameda county, January 22, 1895, by Rev. L. W. Goudy, Henry Crosby and Mary Decoto.
NORDLOF—JOHNSON—In San Francisco, January 23, 1895, August Nordlof and Bella Cecilia Johnson.
METCALF—METCALF—In San Francisco, January 20, 1895, Solor T. Metcalf and Mrs. Roxana Metcalf.
HENCKEN—BRUNS—In San Francisco, January 16, 1895, Julius Hencken and Sophia Bruns.
AHLF—BREITSCH—In San Francisco, January 19, 1895, Henry Ahlf and Catharina Breitsch.
FRUSER—FREIE—In San Francisco, January 20, 1895, Wilhelm Fruser and Mrs. Anna A. Freie.
HOGAN—MONE—In San Francisco, January 22, 1895, John Hogan and Winnie Mone.

DIED.

NOONAN—In Temescal, January 23, 1895, Mary Ann, beloved mother of Wm. Joseph Noonan, a native of Ireland, aged 85 years.
BROWN—In San Francisco, January 21, 1895, May Theresa Brown, a native of San Francisco, aged 2 months and 10 days.
FOX—In San Francisco, January 22, 1895, Artimitia A. Fox, a native of Pennsylvania.
FLAGEOLET—In San Francisco, January 22, 1895, Chas. H. Flageollet, a native of Francisco, aged 53 years and 2 months.
GILLIGAN—Drowned at Antioch, Contra Costa County, January 16, 1895, John Joseph Gilligan, a native of East Cambridge, Mass., aged 18 years, 9 months and 1 day.

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ALERT AND RANGER.

They Will Go to San Diego and May Turn Up at Honolulu.

VALLEJO, Cal., January 24.—The United States ships Alert and Ranger left the Navy Yard between 10 and 11 o'clock this morning.

It is said they will sail for San Diego direct.

Ten days' supply of fresh provisions are on board each ship.

The Alert, having the senior officer on board, left first.

The ships will probably be away from the Navy Yard for two months and may bring up at Honolulu.

STOLE HER BABY.

A Wife Who Would Not Wait for a Judge's Decision.

LOS ANGELES, January 24.—William C. Ebert was summoned in Judge Smith's court this morning to produce a year-old baby he had kidnaped from his wife.

Mrs. Ebert jumped in and stole the baby right under the Judge's nose, and ran off with it. She was arrested.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executors of the last will and testament of Abraham D. Starr, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executors, at the office of Albert F. Shuttle, Notary Public, 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Abraham D. Starr, deceased.

CHARLES R. JOHNSON,
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Executors of the last will and testament of Abraham D. Starr, deceased.
Dated Oakland, January 22, 1895.

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WAR FEARED.

Mexican Troops Are Sent to the Frontier.

Guatemalans Who Do Not Want to Fight.

Trying Hard to Work up a Feeling of Patriotism.

COMITAN (State of Chiapas), Mex., January 21. — The Government has pushed fresh forces to the Guatemalan frontier almost daily, and camp quarters for a large body of men have been arranged for near this place.

Some Guatemalans living in this vicinity have fled to Mexico rather than be pressed into an unwilling service.

Guatemala is using every effort to work up feelings of patriotism among the people. Nearly every horse for 100 miles from the border has been secured by one means or another.

The uncommunicative policy of the Guatemalan Government is having a disastrous effect upon the public order.

Residents of the frontier fear an invasion of mounted Mexican Rurals.

It is generally felt that should a war ensue the frontier will be so overrun by troops and pilfaging renegades that life will be a burden.

Fugitives from Guatemala soil are arriving here almost daily.

They number many revolters from the Guatemalan interior, but are for the most part native-born Mexicans, who have taken up a residence in Guatemala.

Large parties are on their way from Quetzaltenango, Northern Guatemala, either afraid to remain home, or coming with the purpose of enlisting against the Government.

NO CONFIRMATORY REPORT.

ACAPULCO, State of Guerrero, Mex., January 21.—The report that the armed Mexican corvette Zaragoza has invaded Guatemalan waters and was lying off the harbor of San Jose is not true.

The schooleship was loaded with munition and provisions of war for Mazatlan for the supply of Mexican troops, tributary to the ports of San Benito and Santa Cruz, on the Southern coast. Having discharged its commission, it is now on its return trip to Mazatlan, where it will await further orders.

ASSOLD TO FIGHT.

MEXICO CITY, January 21.—With an immense demonstration of the students in this capital, the war feeling throughout the republic has been wrought to a high pitch.

Reports from the interior points show a rising spirit of patriotism among the people and it is probable that other great popular uprisings will occur in many cities.

A full report of the proceedings was sent by the Guatemalan Republic to President Barrios at Guatemala, and it said to have created a profound impression in Government circles.

This city is quiet, although efforts at patriotic storm are easily descernible.

The volunteer movement is rapidly spreading.

It would evidently be possible to raise 25,000 volunteers in this city alone in a day or two if the General Government only indicated a need for assistance.

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Mrs. Bruner is a highly capable and convincing platform debater. Her lecture indicated a close and deliberate study of the subject.

She was the recipient of many congratulations at the close of the lecture yesterday, when many of the audience pressed forward to personally greet her.

The last lecture in the course will be given this evening. The subject will be "Convent Horrors." Those present yesterday expressed their intention to attend this evening.

COMPROMISED.

A Widow Gets Damages for Her Husband's Death.

Mrs. Sarah Lynch's suit against the Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company for $50,000 damages has been compromised, and this morning judgment was rendered by stipulation in favor of Mrs. Lynch for $4,000.

The suit was the outcome of the death of Mrs. Lynch's husband, James T. Lynch, who was killed by an electric car in Alameda on October 16, 1894. The deceased was at the time of his death driving a four-horse butcher wagon along McPherson street, and was run into by an electric car while crossing Santa Clara avenue. Delmas & Shortridge of San Francisco were Mrs. Lynch's attorneys.

COURT NOTES.

J. S. Carr has commenced a suit against Moses J. Frank and the Union Savings Bank to foreclose a street assessment lien for $167 72 for street work alleged to have been performed on East Twenty-first street. Carr also sues M. V. Taylor and Jane Weeks for $103 51. B. McFadden is attorney for the plaintiff.

The Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company has notified the attorneys for Mrs. Susan Hommell that it will move to have the costs in the case retaxed. The company claims that Mrs. Hommell's cost bill was prematurely filed.

The trial of Perry Johnson's suit against Mary Dixon was this morning continued to April 15th.

Eric Erickson's trial for forgery went over till January 28th.

G. D. Vincent has filed an amended complaint in his suit against W. F. Perry and others to recover $1000 for money loaned and advanced.

W. S. Barlow has filed his bond in the sum of $10, as commissioner to sell the property involved in the suit of John Schueck against M. L. Wurts et al. His sureties are T. F. Graber and H. L. Osgood.

Jane Cheney and Oliver Cheney have demurred to the complaint of Charles Armstrong on the ground that it does not state facts sufficient to constitute a cause for action.

No Money for an Engine House.

The rejection of bids for the proposed new fire engine house on Twenty-fifth street, has relegated that project to the very dim future. The lack of funds will prevent anything further being done until the next fiscal year.

A HEAVY LOSS.

The Oakland Home Business Is Discussed.

A Complete Report Made to the Stockholders.

Secretary Sites Tells the Story of the Failure.

When THE TRIBUNE went to press yesterday afternoon, the meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Home Insurance Company was still in progress.

Assistant Secretary Sites presented an interesting report, in which he made a complete showing of the condition of the company. Mr. Sites said:

"During the year 1893 the gross premiums written by the company aggregated in round numbers nearly $983,000, or an average of $82,000 per month. The company to this time had gained a degree of popularity pre-eminently pleasing to its members; but at the same time it provoked the enmity of certain rivals who, envious of the business held by the company in certain districts, turned loose the tongue of slander and inuendo persistently, which, gaining color and credence by the reinsurance of the Western department and the unfavorable criticism of newspapers, caused the business to drop for a period of five months in 1894, to the insignificant sum of $53,000, or an average of say $10,000 per month gross.

"But two alternatives were left to your Board of Directors, either to liquidate the business through a receiver or to reinsure. The latter method was determined upon, as policy holders were thus simply protected, and the bonds of the company preserved. The preliminaries were, therefore arranged, and the final contract of reinsurance was signed with the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, on May 11, 1894.

"In 1893 the net income of the Pacific department or States, handled by the home office, was $158,000, showing a gain from business for 1893 in the Pacific department of $20,000. For the same period the net income of the Western department was $148,000, showing a loss of business in that department for 1893 of $25,300. For the year 1894 the net premiums collected from the business of the Pacific department were $174,100, showing a shrinkage of $85,000. For the same period the net premiums collected from the Western department business was $53,800, showing a shrinkage of $101,300.

"From these foregoing complications it appears that the shrinkage for the years 1893 and 1894 were as follows:

Western department, 1893	$25,300
Western department, 1894	101,300
Pacific department, 1894	85,000
Total	$195,000
Less gain in Pacific department for 1893	20,000
Leaving actual loss from business source of income	$175,000

"In addition to this the company paid for two years as follows: Taxes, $9200, Pacific Insurance Union, $2900; dividends (eight months of 1893), $12,000; losses through bad accounts, $11,700; San reinsurance losses of Western department, $167,000; to reinsure the Pacific department, $147,600; paid on account of bills payable, $62,850, making a grand total of $607,000.

"To meet this excessive drain the company was forced to call in its mortgages, to sell its real estate, bonds, stocks and other investments, and realized therefrom as follows: From rent $7800; from interest, $20,200; from mortgages, $173,100; from real estate, $121,000; from stocks, $5900; from bonds, $40,000; savings banks, $13,200; special agents, $500, warrants, $850; assessment of September 29, 1893, $100,000; bills payable (money borrowed), $115,000, a grand total of $598,150.

"During the two years 1893 and 1894 the company received from all sources in round numbers, net, the sum of $1,09[illegible],170. Out of this payment were made as follows: Losses, net, $648,[illegible]; cancellations, net $[illegible], commissions, etc., net, $312,100; reinsuring the company, $303,000 borrowed money, $62,850; all other items, $35,200, making a total of $1,602,000 and leaving a balance on hand on January 1, 1895, of $1100. The total loss in the Western department was $416,100, made up of the following items: Loss in Western department, net, $129,600; San reinsurance losses, $20,000; cost of reinsuring the Western department, net, $167,700.

"It must be borne in mind that the monthly income of the Western department was always more than absorbed by its own losses and expenses, so that it was never a source of revenue to the home office. On the contrary, the home office not only had to bear the burden of the Western department re-insurance reserve liability, but from its own field had to furnish the money and protect the policy-holders of that department. Truly may it be said that the Western department was the quicksand that engulfed the ship, for in it was more than buried the amount of the original capital and the assessment of $50 per share combined. On January 1, 1895, the condition of the company was as follows:

"Assets—Cash on hand and in bank, $1129 28; loans, secured by mortgage, $61,302 28; uncollected premiums (balance due from agents), $16,671 21; premium notes, $[illegible]; bills receivable, $3968 71; Des Moines Insurance Company, $1008; Northwest Fire and Marine Insurance Company, $317 66; Westchester Fire Insurance Company, $40 01; warrants, $40; interest due on mortgages, $3908 12. Total assets, $88,432 29.

"The liabilities are $70,815 71, of which the principal items are: Due First National Bank, Oakland, $1000, due First National Bank, San Francisco, $50,850, unpaid losses (in litigation), estimated, $10,800.

"The apparent surplus for stockholders is $17,616 58.

"In other words, if all the remaining assets of the company could be collected there would be left, after paying all obligations, a dividend for stockholders of some $8 per share, but there is bound to be a large shrinkage in the items of uncollected premium notes, and the best that can be hoped for is to have the affairs of the company come out even.

"In conclusion: The assessment of $50 per share levied September 29, 1893, did not save the company, as was hoped, yet it did prevent the bringing of lawsuits which would have brought about serious complications that would have forced the company into a receiver's hands and compelled stockholders to pay a much larger assessment than the one levied.

"On January 1, 1893, the books of the company showed some $75,000 cash on hand, but as this amount, or its equivalent, with other sums, had gone into mortgages and other investments, it does not appear in this report because it would simply raise the figures equally on either side without in anywise affecting the result. In other words the $75,000 helped build the investments, the proceeds of which are duly accounted for in detail herein."

The committee appointed will examine the books and report at the meeting to be held February 23d.

BOLD ROBBERS.

They Beat an Agent and Rob a Safe.

SUGARLAND, Tex., January 24. — Masked men rode to the railway and express office here, and demanded of the agent, Adams, the safe's contents.

After a severe beating Adams opened the safe, and the robbers took $1600.

The citizens undertook to stop the robbers.

A sharp battle took place, but the highwaymen escaped to the Brazos swamp.

A posse started in pursuit, and returned with four prisoners — Crane, Thompson, Denton and Flowers. The posse is still scouring the country for the others.

"Convent Doors Must Be Opened"
TUESDAY, January 22, 1895—8 P. M.
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Admission. - - 25 Cents
Just enough to pay expenses.

AN EXCITING FIRE.

Forty People Escape From a Burning Building.

CHICAGO, January 24.—The fashionable three-story boarding house of Ira T. Wilson, 318-320 Michigan avenue, was gutted by fire this morning.

The forty people in the house were still abed.

Six were taken from the top story by firemen.

Two women were carried out unconscious, but none were fatally injured, however.

All the furniture and private property were destroyed.

GETTING TIRED.

The Strikers Are About Ready to Quit.

Police Have Another Battle With a Mob.

Cars Are Run Under the Protection of Militiamen.

BROOKLYN, January 24. — About 3 o'clock this morning the Seventeenth precinct police had a lively fight with wire-cutting strikers at Broadway and Sumpter streets, and captured two.

One was so badly clubbed that he was taken to the station in an ambulance.

Fifty non-union men left the Flushing avenue stables this morning to open a cross town line. The cars were guarded by four policemen and the Eighth Battalion.

The first car which left the stables was held up at Franklin street and Green Point avenue by strikers.

All the windows were broken, but the police used their clubs freely and the car was taken through the mob.

The motorman was hit by a brick and flying glass. No one else was injured.

At 9 o'clock the Court street car was stoned at Hamilton and Court street. The crowd was dispersed by the police.

At strike headquarters today it is the general opinion that the big strike has about run its course. The strikers seemed despondent. There will be a conference this afternoon, it is said, to discuss the propriety of calling off the strike.

BROOKLYN, January 24.—Thomas Kearney, the roofer who was shot on the house-top by a militiaman, on Hicks street yesterday, is dead.

STEALING NEWS.

A Bill Designed to Prevent the Tapping of Wires.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—There was such a meager attendance at the opening of the Senate today that Hoar called attention to the absence of a quorum and said a roll call was necessary.

Among the bills introduced was one by Chandler (Rep.) to prevent the tapping of telegraph wires used by the news associations.

This is to prevent stealing news and was made necessary by recent developments in Chicago, when various other associations, by means of wire-tapping, were making use of the Associated Press news.

In the discussion of Lodge's Hawaiian resolution in the Senate today George of Mississippi made a careful argument to show that there was no popular suffrage and no real republican form of government in Hawaii.

WILL RETALIATE.

City Officials at Stockton to Make a New Move.

STOCKTON, Cal., January 24.—The City Council and officials propose to separate the city from San Joaquin county by extending the city limits to an area six by eight miles, forming a city and county of Stockton, because the county refuses to contribute to the fund for protecting the city from overflow by the drainage system.

A Roof Blaze

An alarm was turned in at 7 o'clock last night for a roof fire at 1161 Market street, caused by a defective flue. The blaze was extinguished with nominal damages. The edifice—a two-story frame building—is owned by a Mrs. Collins.

A Council Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee of the Council will be held tonight.

IN COURT.

Argument on the Special Election Case.

A Request to Have the Judges Sit in Banc.

Both Sides Represented by Able Legal Talent.

The petition for the writ of mandate to compel the Mayor and members of the City Council to cause to be submitted to the qualified electors of this city, at a general or special election, the questions of amendments to the city charter was called in Judge Ogden's court this morning.

There was a large number of citizens present, because it was known that, if the writ should be granted, it would have the effect of doing away with the special charter amendment election which has been called for Saturday next.

The petitioners, Orrin Page and John Trotter, were represented by Attorney George H. De Golia, and Harvey S. Brown represented certain private interests.

The city was represented by City Attorney Johnson and Messrs. W. R. Davis and Lair Bell of city water front counsel.

When the case had been called Giles Gray, a prominent member of the Municipal League, rose and addressed the court.

He said that while he is not an attorney, he desired to state that he thought it would be more pleasing to his honor, Judge Ogden, and, at the same time afford a great deal more satisfaction to the public, if the case at bar could be heard in banc.

Judge Ogden said he would be pleased to have the case heard in the manner suggested, if the counsel interested would secure the consent of other judges to act in the premises.

The case was then continued till 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Counsel then called upon Judges Ellsworth and Frick and placed the matter before them, and received the assurance that they would be pleased to sit with Judge Ogden in the case.

The case was not opened until about 2:15 P. M., when the judges named appeared on the bench.

W. R. Davis filed a legal answer, which, he said, was in effect, a demurrer setting forth that the petition would not afford the remedy sought.

Mr. De Golia then addressed the court.

He claimed that, under the constitution and the city charter which latter embraced, in some respects, the Political code, the Council has no right to call a special election for the purposes specified.

He showed that the amendments submitted could be put before the people only at a general or special election.

A general election was one held in November every two years, a special election was one held in March.

A special election is one called to fill a vacancy in office.

This, he claimed, is not the time for a general election, and there is no vacancy in office to be filled.

The argument is in progress as THE TRIBUNE goes to press.

HEART FAILURE.

Lieutenant J. A. Turner Stricken With a Fatal Attack.

Lieutenant J. A. Turner, who recently retired from the United States Marine corps, died suddenly at the Occidental Hotel, San Francisco yesterday morning. He had been suffering from heart troubles for a year or more and it was owing to this that he succumbed.

The deceased officer had a large circle of friends in San Francisco and this city who will deeply mourn his untimely end. He was extremely popular with his associates in the navy.

Lieutenant Turner married Miss Belle Sullivan, a sister of Frank J. Sullivan, some years ago. He was appointed to the Marine Corps from Texas in 1876 and in 1886 was promoted to be a lieutenant. For some time he was stationed at Mare Island.

Lieutenant Turner was 37 years of age and leaves a child besides his widow.

A HOME PRIDE.

Hook's Furniture Store, Largest in the West.

The largest furniture store west of Chicago is located in Oakland. The credit for this is due to E. Hook, the well-known furniture man, who has been in business in this city for many years, and whose furniture has long been the pride of hundreds of the comfortable homes and richly appointed residences of the millionaires on this side of the bay.

Hook's store is 464 to 468 Eleventh street and 465 to 469 Twelfth street. It has an immense frontage and is actually a block in length. This great institution is stocked with the finest assortment of everything required to furnish a home, everything is of the latest and most beautiful design in the matter of furniture, carpets, oilcloths, window shades, lace curtains, cornices, mats, and all these may be obtained at the lowest prices.

A WRIT DENIED

Herman Kohler Cannot Have a Jury Trial.

Herman Kohler's petition for a writ of mandate, compelling Police Judge F. X. Wood to grant him a jury trial, was dismissed in the Superior Court by Judge Frick this afternoon.

When the hearing of the matter was called Attorney L. C. Martin, representing Judge Wood, raised a technical objection to the proceedings. He claimed that a writ of mandate was not proper procedure and stated that Kohler's only remedy was an appeal. He quoted several authorities in support of his objection.

Colonel Thomas B. Garrity and Carl H. Abbott, Kohler's attorneys, were surprised at the stand taken by Mr. Martin and said that when they brought the action they did not expect to be met by any such objection, but that the case would be tried on its merits. Attorney Abbott then moved for a dismissal of the petition, which was ordered by the court.

Attorneys Garrity and Abbott declare that they will now take the slower process and appeal.

SHE WAS INSANE.

An Inquest on the Remains of Mrs. Loughbridge.

Coroner Baldwin held an inquest today on the remains of Mrs. Bessie Webb Loughbridge, who committed suicide at her home at Berkeley. The jury found that she took poison while temporarily insane.

United States Prisoners.

Suzuki Matsutaro, a Japanese, and Ben Beach and Thomas Johnson were lodged in the County Jail last night by Deputy United States Marshals Moffitt and Harris. The Japanese is charged with unlawfully importing two Japanese women into the United States. Beach and Johnson are accused of counterfeiting.

The Drum Estate.

Judge Frick this morning, at the request of the executors of the estate of the late John S. Drum, ordered that the property belonging to the estate at the northwest corner of Eleventh and Broadway be distributed equally between Frank G. Drum, John S. Drum, Cassie M. Drum, Clara G. Drum and William G. Drum.

From Library News.

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Going to New York.

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They Will Go to San Diego and May Turn Up at Honolulu.

VALLEJO, Cal., January 24.—The United States ships Alert and Ranger left the Navy Yard between 10 and 11 o'clock this morning.

It is said they will sail for San Diego direct.

Ten days' supply of fresh provisions are on board each ship.

The Alert, having the senior officer on board, left first.

The ships will probably be away from the Navy Yard for two months and may bring up at Honolulu.

STOLE HER BABY.

A Wife Who Would Not Wait for a Judge's Decision.

LOS ANGELES, January 24.—William C. Ebert was summoned in Judge Smith's court this morning to produce a year-old baby he had kidnaped from his wife.

Mrs. Ebert jumped in and stole the baby right under the Judge's nose, and ran off with it. She was arrested.

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Messrs. Mollenhauer, Fupke, Schuey, Brandt.
Duet for horn and flute, serenade ..... *Till*
Messrs. Reiter and Rodemann
With quartet accompaniment.

[Official.]

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Adjourned Regular Meeting, Monday, January 21, 1895.

The board at 10 o'clock A. M.

Roll was called and the following members were present: Supervisors Talcott, Church, Pelouze and Chairman Bailey.

Absent—Supervisor Johnston.

Minutes of the last meeting held January 14, 1895, were read and approved.

The following applications for relief were made by the following named persons:

By Mrs. J. G. Darnal for Mrs. Martha M. Clark, a native of New York, residence, 612 Ninth street, widow, five children.

Referred to supervisor Church with power.

Isaac L. Belzer, a native of Mississippi, residence, 560 seventh street, married, one child.

Referred to Hospital Committee.

M. Knapp, a native of Ohio, residence, corner Seventh and Pine streets.

Sent to Hospital.

Margaret Waters, a native of Maryland, residence, 209 Sixth street, married, one child.

Referred to supervisor Church with power.

Maurice Pacheco, a native of Portugal, residence, 29 Twenty-third avenue, married, four children.

Referred to Supervisor Johnston.

George Carlin. Referred to Hospital Committee.

John Pendergast. This application was, upon motion of supervisor Church, rejected.

Henrietta Buhr, a native of Ireland, residence, 2231 Union street, widow, one child.

Referred to Supervisor Pelouze.

Virginia Miller, a native of Portugal, residence, 712 Myrtle street, married, no children.

Referred to supervisor Church.

Mrs. F. A. Warner, a native of Ireland, residence, 790 Third street, married, one child.

Referred to supervisor Church.

A communication was received from Frank W. Way asking for free license to peddle fruit and vegetables. It was rejected on the statement made that the standing rule of the board prohibited any such permit.

The following reports were received from the county officers:

D. W. Martin showing that he had allowed indigents for December, 1894 $153, number of indigents assisted 110. Also report for month of January, 1895, showing amount allowed indigents $160, number assisted 110.

Ordered filed.

Report of Thomas Olines, foreman in San Lorenzo road district was received, showing list of tools on hand.

Referred to Supervisor Talcott.

Henry Behrens, road foreman of Vallecitos road district reported for July 1st to December 31, 1894.

Referred to Supervisor Bailey.

A statement from William Brophy, Justice of the Peace, for month of December, 1894.

Ordered filed.

From Fred C. Clift, Justice of the Peace.

Ordered filed.

The following requisitions were received viz:

From Henry Darnual asking for 200 note books.

Referred to the Building Committee.

From F. B. Ogden, A. L. Frick, C. H. White, Frank C. Jordan and Charles L. Snook asking for "Harlow's Duties of Sheriffs and Constables."

Also from Charles H. Barber asking for certain articles of stationery.

Granted as to items included in contract for stationery, otherwise referred to Building Committee.

From Chas. H. Spear asking for certain stationery.

Granted as to items on schedule or included in contract, otherwise referred to Building Committee.

A communication was received from Ingler & Atkinson offering to make improvements in the County Recorder's office, as mentioned in communication, for the sum of $400. Supervisor Church stated that the changes mentioned were necessary, that he had obtained another bid from Fowle & Broadwell for the sum of $485.

Upon motion the contract was granted to Ingler & Atkinson for $400.

A communication was received from the Golden Gate Improvement Club in reference to the condition of streets, crossings, sidewalks, and in fact the entire district of Golden Gate, and asking that the board take such measures as are necessary to ascertain the true cause of the trouble and have the evils corrected.

Referred to Supervisor Pelouze.

Also a communication from the Golden Gate Improvement Club informing the board that a committee of seven had been appointed by the club to confer with the Board of Supervisors and asking that a committee of the board be appointed to meet for the purpose of devising some remedy for the evils complained of in the matter of public streets, etc.

Upon motion the matter was referred to a Committee of the Whole, and Thursday, at 10 o'clock, was fixed as the time when the committee would visit Golden Gate and investigate.

A communication was received from John Flanagan, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County, stating that the Board of Supervisors of that county had decided to urge representatives at Sacramento to amend Section 2541 of the Political Code, Statues 1893; also Section 2602 Political Code, Statues 1891; also asking that this board cooperate with them and secure the desired amendments.

Ordered placed on filed.

A communication was received from John K. Kincke calling attention to the application on file petitioning for appointment of himself and wife as steward and stewardess of County Receiving Hospital and asking for the consideration of the board.

Ordered filed.

The application of J. H. Rourke for permit to obtain license, which was laid over from last meeting because bond was imperfect was again read, the bond examined and approved and application referred to Judiciary Committee.

A protest was received from J. P. Hayes against the granting of a permit for liquor license for Mrs. H. Giacometti on the ground that Camille Bigneau was not a citizen of Alameda County, nor on the Great Register of Precinct No. 1 Temescal.

The clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Hayes that it would be necessary for him to give more satisfactory proof at the next meeting of the board.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the applications of the following named persons, viz:

Mary McConnell, Hollis street, at entrance to Race Track; J. H. Rourke, Stockyards; Christian Peterson, San Lorenzo, Cal.; J. R. Guy, Midway, John Logan, Niles; Franz Ora, Central avenue and San Leandro road.

Appropriate resolutions granting to them permit to obtain licenses were duly passed by the board.

County Treasurer O. M. Sanford asked that certain wires be repaired running between his office and that of the Sheriff.

Referred to the Building Committee.

Supervisor Talcott asked that a committee of the whole visit and inspect certain bridges and roads in his district.

Upon motion the committee of the whole decided to make inspection asked for on Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

Supervisor Talcott also drew the attention of the board to the condition of the Blue Hill road in Redwood canyon, and stated that it was not safe to open the gates across it and that he had instructed them to keep the gates closed.

Mr. Langan again called the board's attention to B street, Haywards, and asked for investigation by the board.

Taken under advisement.

Supervisor Church asked that the board fix a day to visit the County Receiving Hospital as a body.

No action taken.

The board then took a recess until 2 o'clock.

The board met at 2 o'clock. Roll called—all members present.

The Building Committee reported favorably on the requisition of J. P. Garlick for check punch and numbering stamp, and upon motion the request was allowed.

Supervisor Church introduced the following resolution, which was read by the Clerk:

"*Resolved*, That Fred A. Davis be, and he is hereby employed as Expert to examine, inspect, and expert monthly the books and accounts of each and every department of the County Government of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to examine, inspect and expert monthly the books and accounts of each and every county officer of the County of Alameda, State of California. Be it further

"*Resolved*, That the said employment of said Fred A. Davis, as such Expert, commence on the 1st day of February, 1895, and that the same continue until the authority conferred upon said Fred A. Davis by this resolution be revoked by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Alameda. Be it further

"*Resolved*, That the said Fred A. Davis as such Expert aforesaid, be, and he is hereby required to present to the said Board of Supervisors and file with the clerk of said Board of Supervisors, on the first day of each and every month, during his employment as such Expert, a written report showing the result of such inspection, examination and expertise of said books and accounts during the preceding month. Be it further

"*Resolved*, That the said Fred A. Davis, as such Expert, be paid out of the County General fund of the County of Alameda the sum of $125 per month as compensation for his services as such Expert.

The same was duly seconded.

Mr. Talcott moved to amend as follows: To employ an expert to expert the books and accounts of all county officers and report to the body the condition of the county finances in all the funds and departments on January 7, 1895, at 12 M.

The amendment did not receive a second.

The roll was called upon the original resolution and the following vote was given:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Pelouze and Chairman Bailey.

Noes—Supervisors Talcott and Johnston.

Upon motion of supervisor Church the bond of the Expert was fixed at $500.

The following requisitions were received from county officers, viz:

A. W. White asking for certain plumbing; also from County Clerk asking for two gas lamps and connecting pipe.

All the requisitions were referred to the Building Committee.

The clerk called the attention of the board to his receipt from E. A. Heron of a deed giving a certain piece of land in Oakland township for a street to be called Laurel street.

Upon motion the same was received and the clerk was ordered to record the same, and Laurel street in the Piedmont Villa tract was duly declared a county road and public highway by a unanimous vote.

The petition for abandonment of Road No. 653 in Alvarado Road district was then brought up for hearing on the petition and protest. Mr. E. Nusbaumer appeared for petitioners; Mr. Welles Whitmore appeared for protestants. The petition was read by the Clerk. The following witnesses were sworn and testified in behalf of the petitioners: W. F. Boardman, F. B. Granger, J. C. Whipple, Samuel Poorman, C. R. Sabert and Edwin Whipple. The testimony was then closed for the petitioners. Mr. Whitmore in behalf of the protestants presented to the board and had read by the Clerk protests signed by S. D. Putnam and four others, by Marie Webber, E. P. Kerrison and I. Beretta and four others. The request of Charles Kleser withdrawing his name from the petition for abandonment was also read. Mr. Whitmore then had read the protest filed December 3, 1894, to which Mr. Nusbaumer entered a formal objection on the ground that it had no relevancy or pertinency to the matter before the board. Mr. Whitmore then introduced the following witnesses, who were sworn and gave testimony, viz: John Quigley, Antone Lee, Edward E. Foley, Patrick Matthews, Little Gibbon, George Althauser, Frank Behrman and Daniel Riley.

The testimony being all in the matter was upon motion taken under advisement.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

The District Attorney reported upon the following named bills: As to bill of Dr. E. H. Woolsey for $60, that the sum of $15 presented under date of December 28, 1894, was a legal and proper charge; the three other items of $15 each, dated September 6, 1887, February 11, 1891, and November 10, 1892, could not be paid by the board.

The District Attorney also reported favorably upon the bill of E. Gieske for $18. He said that it was a proper charge and when properly certified to, to the satisfaction of the board, should be paid.

He also reported favorably upon the bill of August Browning for $10.

Concerning the bill of T. B. Wells he recommended that the same be referred to the foreman of Dublin Run district for some changes and corrections which, when made, would entitle it to payment by the board.

In the matter of the Centerville Jail the District Attorney stated that it would be necessary to advertise for plans and specifications, and he was directed by the board to prepare and advertise and to limit expenditure to the sum of $350.

The Hospital Committee to whom had been referred the applications of Amelia Borge, Paula Harris and Joseph Whiteside, filed January 11th, reported against the allowance of their applications and, on motion, the report was adopted.

There being no further business to transact the board adjourned to meet Monday, January 28th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

Attest:
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Duet for horn and flute, serenade .....*Tell*
Messrs. Reiter and Rodemann.
With quartet accompaniment.

[Official.]

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Adjourned Regular Meeting, Monday, January 21, 1895.

The board at 10 o'clock A. M.

Roll was called and the following members were present: Supervisors Talcott, Church, Pelouze and Chairman Bailey.

Absent—Supervisor Johnston.

Minutes of the last meeting held January 14, 1895, were read and approved.

The following applications for relief were made by the following named persons:

By Mrs. J. G. Darnal for Mrs. Martha M. Clark, a native of New York, residence, 612 Ninth street, widow, five children.

Referred to supervisor Church with power.

Isaac E. Felzer, a native of Mississippi, residence, 569 Seventh street, married, one child.

Referred to Hospital Committee.

M. Knapp, a native of Ohio, residence, corner Seventh and Pine streets.

Sent to Hospital.

Margaret Waters, a native of Maryland, residence, 269 Sixth street, married, one child.

Referred to Supervisor Church with power.

Maurice Pacheco, a native of Portugal, residence, 29 Twenty-third avenue, married, four children.

Referred to Supervisor Johnson.

George Carlin. Referred to Hospital Committee.

John Pondergast. This application was, upon motion of Supervisor Church, rejected.

Henrietta Bahr, a native of Ireland, residence, 2031 Union street, widow, one child.

Referred to Supervisor Pelouze.

Virginia Miller, a native of Portugal, residence, 712 Myrtle street, married, no children.

Referred to Supervisor Church.

Mrs. E. A. Warner, a native of Ireland, residence, 780 Third street, married, one child.

Referred to supervisor Church.

A communication was received from Frank N. Way asking for free license to peddle fruit and vegetables. It was rejected and the statement made that the standing rule of the board prohibited any such permit.

The following reports were received from the county officers:

D. W. Martin showing that he had allowed indigents for December, 1894, $165, number of indigents assisted 110. Also report for month of January, 1895, showing amount allowed indigents $150, number assisted 110.

Ordered filed.

Report of Thomas Clines, foreman in San Lorenzo road district was received, showing list of tools on hand.

Referred to Supervisor Talcott.

Henry Behrens, road foreman of Vallecitos road district reported for July 1st to December 31, 1894.

Referred to Supervisor Bailey.

A statement from William Brophy, Justice of the Peace, for month of December, 1894.

Ordered filed.

From Fred C. Clift, Justice of the Peace.

Ordered filed.

The following requisitions were received viz:

From Henry Darnest asking for 250 note books.

Referred to the Building Committee.

From F. B. Ogden, A. L. Frick, C. B. White, Frank C. Jordan and Charles E. Snook asking for "Harlow's Duties of Sheriffs and Constables."

Also from Charles H. Barber asking for certain articles of stationery.

Granted as to items included in contract for stationery, otherwise referred to Building Committee.

From Chas. H. Spear asking for certain stationery.

Granted as to items on schedule or included in contract, otherwise referred to Building Committee.

A communication was received from Ingler & Atkinson offering to make improvements in the County Recorder's office, as mentioned in communication, for the sum of $300. Supervisor church stated that the changes mentioned were necessary, that he had obtained another bid from Towle & Broadwell for the sum of $335.

Upon motion the contract was granted to Ingler & Atkinson for $300.

A communication was received from the Golden Gate Improvement Club in reference to the condition of streets, crossings, sidewalks, and in fact the entire district of Golden Gate, and asking that the board take such measures as are necessary to ascertain the true cause of the trouble and have the evils corrected.

Referred to Supervisor Pelouze.

Also a communication from the Golden Gate Improvement Club informing the board that a committee of seven had been appointed by the club to confer with the Board of Supervisors and asking that a committee of the board be appointed to meet for the purpose of devising some remedy for the evils complained of in the matter of public streets, etc.

Upon motion the matter was referred to a Committee of the Whole, and Thursday, at 10 o'clock, was fixed as the time when the committee would visit Golden Gate and investigate.

A communication was received from John Flanagan, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County, stating that the Board of Supervisors of that county had decided to urge representatives at Sacramento to amend Section 2641 of the Political Code, Statues 1893; also Section 2652 Political Code, Statues 1891; also asking that this board cooperate with them and secure the desired amendments.

Ordered placed on filed.

A communication was received from John E. Rincke calling attention to the application on file petitioning for appointment of himself and wife as steward and stewardess of County Receiving Hospital and asking for the consideration of the board.

Ordered filed.

The application of J. H. Rourke for permit to obtain license, which was laid over from last meeting because bond was imperfect was again read, the bond examined and approved and application referred to Judiciary Committee.

A protest was received from J. P. Hayes against the granting of a permit for liquor license for Mrs. H. Giacometti on the ground that Camille Dignean was not a citizen of Alameda County, nor on the Great Register of Precinct No. 2, Temescal.

The clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Hayes that it would be necessary for him to give more satisfactory proof at the next meeting of the board.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the applications of the following named persons, viz:

Mary McConnell, Hollis street, at entrance to Race Track; J. H. Rourke, Stockyards; Christian Petersen, San Lorenzo, Cal.; J. R. Guy, Midway; John Logan, Niles; Frank Ora, Central avenue and San Leandro road.

Appropiate resolutions granting to them permit to obtain licenses were duly passed by the board.

County Treasurer O. M. Sanford asked that certain wires be repaired running between his office and that of the Sheriff.

Referred to the Building Committee.

Supervisor Talcott asked that a committee of the whole visit and inspect certain bridges and roads in his district

Upon motion the committee of the whole decided to make inspection asked for on Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

Supervisor Talcott also drew the attention of the board to the condition of the Blue Hill road in Redwood canyon, and stated that it was not safe to open the gates across it and that he had instructed them to keep the gates closed.

Mr. Langan again called the board's attention to B street, Haywards, and asked for investigation by the board.

Taken under advisement.

Supervisor Church asked that the board fix a day to visit the County Receiving Hospital as a body.

No action taken.

The board then took a recess until 2 o'clock.

The board met at 2 o'clock. Roll called—all members present.

The Building Committee reported favorably on the requisition of J. P. Garlick for check punch and numbering stamp, and upon motion the request was allowed.

Supervisor Church introduced the following resolution, which was read by the Clerk:

"*Resolved*, That Fred A. Davis be, and he is hereby employed as Expert to examine, inspect, and expert monthly the books and accounts of each and every department of the County Government of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to examine, inspect and expert monthly the books and accounts of each and every county officer of the County of Alameda, State of California. Be it further

"*Resolved*, That the said employment of said Fred A. Davis, as such Expert, commence on the 1st day of February, 1895, and that the same continue until the authority conferred upon said Fred A. Davis by this resolution be revoked by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Alameda. Be it further

"*Resolved*, That the said Fred A. Davis as such Expert aforesaid, be, and he is hereby required to present to the said Board of Supervisors an File with the clerk of said Board of Supervisors, on the first day of each and every month, during his employment as such Expert, a written report showing the result of such inspection, examination and expertise of said books and accounts during the preceding month. Be it further

Resolved, That the said Fred A. Davis, as such Expert, be paid out of the County General fund of the County of Alameda the sum of $125 per month as compensation for his services as such Expert.

The same was duly seconded.

Mr. Talcott moved to amend as follows: To employ an expert to expert the books and accounts of all county officers and report to the board the condition of the county finances in all the funds and departments on January 7, 1895, at 12 M.

The amendment did not receive a second.

The roll was called upon the original resolution and the following vote was given:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Pelouze and Chairman Bailey.

Noes—Supervisors Talcott and Johnston.

Upon motion of Supervisor Church the bond of the Expert was fixed at $500.

The following requisitions were received from county officers, viz:

A. W. White asking for certain plumbing; also from County Clerk asking for two gas lamps and connecting pipe

All the requisitions were referred to the Building Committee.

The clerk called the attention of the board to his receipt from E. A. Heron of a deed giving a certain piece of land in Oakland township for a street to be called Laurel street.

Upon motion the same was received and the clerk was ordered to record the same, and Laurel street in the Piedmont Villa tract was duly declared a county road and public highway by a unanimous vote.

The petition for abandonment of Road No. 653 in Alvarado Road district was then brought up for hearing on the petition and protest. Mr. E. Nusbaumer appeared for petitioners; Mr. Welles Whitmore appeared for protestants. The petition was read by the Clerk. The following witnesses were sworn and testified in behalf of the petitioners: W. F. Boardman, F. B. Granger, J. C. Whipple, Samuel Poorman, C. K. Nauert and Edwin Whipple. The testimony was then closed for the petitioners. Mr. Whitmore in behalf of the protestants presented to the board and had read by the Clerk protests signed by S. O. Putnam and four others, by Mario Webber, E. P. Kerrison and I. Beretta and four others. The request of Charles Rieser withdrawing his name from the petition for abandonment was also read. Mr. Whitmore then had read the protest filed December 3, 1894, to which Mr. Nusbaumer entered a formal objection on the ground that it had no relevancy or pertinency to the matter before the board. Mr. Whitmore then introduced the following witnesses, who were sworn and gave testimony, viz: John Quigley, Antone Lee, Edward E. Foley, Patrick Matthews, Philip Gibbon, George Althauser, Frank Behrman and Daniel Riley.

The testimony being all in the matter was upon motion taken under advisement.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

The District Attorney reported upon the following named bills: As to bill of Dr. E. H. Woolsey for $60, that the sum of $15 presented under date of December 28, 1894, was a legal and proper charge; the three other items of $15 each, dated September 6, 1887, February 11, 1891, and November 10, 1892, could not be paid by the board.

The District Attorney also reported favorably upon the bill of E. Gieske for $18. He said that it was a proper charge and when properly certified to, to the satisfaction of the board, should be paid.

He also reported favorably upon the bill of August Browning for $10.

Concerning the bill of T. B. Wells he recommended that the same be referred to the foreman of Dublin Road district for some changes and corrections which, when made, would entitle it to payment by the board.

In the matter of the Centerville Jail the District Attorney stated that it would be necessary to advertise for plans and specifications, and he was directed by the board to prepare and advertise and to limit expenditure to the sum of $350.

The Hospital Committee to whom had been referred the applications of Amelia Borge, Paula Harris and Joseph Whiteside, filed January 11th, reported against the allowance of their applications and, on motion, the report was adopted.

There being no further business to transact the board adjourned to meet Monday, January 28th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

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THURSDAY.....JANUARY 24, 1895

IT is in order to look out for the report of another Japanese victory and the fall of the stronghold of Wai-Hai-Wei, for the customary Chinese report of a Japanese repulse accompanied with tremendous slaughter, which has invariably preceded such news, has already come to hand from Chee-Foo.

A RESOLUTION has been introduced in the Senate to provide for an investigation of the election frauds in San Francisco and the reported crookedness in the Police Department. The first has already been established; the second is strongly suspected to exist; but the depth of iniquity in either case is not known. The Lexow Senate Committee of New York has shown how to get at the root of such evils.

THE round-up of vagrants is being carried out with vigor, for which the police are entitled to credit. The only thing to be regretted is that the raid was not begun long ago, for the vags, through the "Industrial Army" organization, have milked the town of its charity, which was due just of the worthy poor, and they have intimidated the people of this city all winter without any official interference.

THE Japanese Government has officially denied the reported atrocities at Port Arthur, and James Creelman, the war correspondent, who was responsible for the publication of the report, is on his way home in response to a recall. His usefulness as a correspondent at the front had been destroyed, whether his reports were true or imaginary, for the Japanese Government had revoked his pass, which left him without any privileges.

THE great floods which have recently prevailed in San Diego county are filling the bay of San Diego with detritus. The *Union* says the Tia Juana, Otay and Sweetwater rivers have shoaled the upper end of the bay nearly one foot and brought down enough mud to shoal the entire bay at least two inches. The flood also overflowed the dyke constructed by the Federal Government to turn the waters of the San Diego river into False bay, and did some damage at the north end of San Diego bay. The *Union* calls on the Supervisors to save the latter.

GLADSTONE has a senior in the House of Commons in the person of Charles Villiers, who is styled the Father of the Commons. Villiers recently celebrated his 93d birthday. He entered Parliament in 1835, and has represented Wolverhampton without a break for sixty years. He was one of the leaders in the fight for the repeal of the Corn laws. His brother was the Earl of Clarendon, who was Foreign Secretary during the Crimean war and in Mr. Gladstone's first administration. But Villiers has been for nearly half a century a nonentity in the British Parliament, while Gladstone has been so strong a personality that every act he has performed and almost every word he has uttered have left their impress upon the events of his day and generation, and his name will go down in history as one of the most remarkable men of any nation and any age. Villiers will be forgotten as soon as he passes away.

THE death of Lord Randolph Churchill has been long expected. Churchill began his public career with every promise of a brilliant future, but he soon developed such erratic traits that he could not be relied upon by any faction in Parliament. This was later on attributed to the morphine habit, which he contracted during his college days. It clung to him through life, destroyed his intellect, undermined his constitution, ruined his health and brought him to the grave at an age when most men are at their best, physically and intellectually. Churchill was only 46 years of age. Over ten years ago he broke down, and since then he has been a mental and physical wreck, seeking the ease and health which never came in travel abroad. He was a man who attracted considerable attention in this country, because of his marriage to the daughter of Leonard Jerome of New York, who was counted in her day one of the handsomest women on two continents. Two sons survive as the issue of that marriage. The eldest may inherit the Dukedom of Marlborough—one of the famous ducal coronets in England—as a feeble, unmarried cousin is all that stands between him and it. The Churchills are the next in the line of succession.

Practical Ideas in Road-Building.

Next month a State Road Convention will be held at Sacramento. Among those expected to be present is General Roy Stone, Special Agent and Engineer of the Department of Road Inquiry, which is connected with the United States Department of Agriculture. The latter department has been giving much attention to the subject of general road improvement all over the country, that being a subject intimately associated with the great industry to whose interests the department is particularly devoted.

Good country roads mean everything to the farmer. The cost of every pound of his produce that is hauled to market is affected by the condition of the roadway over which the hauling must be done. The capacity of the work horse enters largely into the economy of the farm. If the roads over which that animal is required to do his work are bad, his load must necessarily be lessened and his value is, to some extent, reduced. This is very clearly illustrated by some facts which General Stone submitted in an address delivered last June at the Southern Immigration and Industrial Congress, which was held at Augusta, Ga. He cited the little city of Goslar, in the Hartz Mountains, which owns a spruce forest of 7000 acres. By careful management the forest permits an annual cut of 300,000 cubic feet of wood and pays a net revenue of $25,000 per annum. "Within a few years," said General Stone, "the city has macadamized the leading roads through the forest, and a very careful system of accounts shows the following results: Full load on old road, 85 to 100 cubic feet; full load on new road, 175 to 250 feet. Average cost of hauling per 1000 feet B. M., old road, $2 70; average cost of hauling per 1000 feet B. M., new road, $1 70; saving per 1000 feet B. M., $1; cost of improvements, $25,000; profit per annum, 10 per cent."

General Stone's address took a decidedly practical form. He not only pointed out the value of good roads, but he also suggested how they may be economically built. He believes that State Prison convicts could be usefully and profitably employed in the preparation of metal for the macadamizing of country roads, and that county prisoners and tramps should be employed in grading and other preparatory work on the roads. "By using the best machinery for crushing stone, and employing the convicts only in quarrying and handling it," says General Stone, "an amount of material could be produced sufficient to macadamize all the roads in the State as fast as they could be prepared, and, in addition, to furnish ballast for the railroads as a consideration for their giving reduced rates on road materials." These are suggestions which could be easily applied in road-building in this State. The Folsom granite quarries could furnish enough metal to cover every roadway in the State.

Most of the country roads in California are natural roads—that is, the roadbed is in a state of nature; the hand of man has done little or nothing toward its improvement. In some sections of the great interior valleys, where the roads are much traveled, a covering of gravel from some convenient riverbed has been spread over the ground. But it furnishes a poor substitute, at best, for macadam. Much traveled California country roads are either axle-deep in mud in winter or they are over the horse's fetlocks in dust in summer, and hauling is not good in either case.

The cost of a good macadamized road might be a bar to its entertainment in the minds of some people. There is not as much of a bugbear in this as might seem at first thought. General Stone says that "the stone roads of Canandaigua, N. Y., cost only $900 per mile." These roads are so well built that "in the midst of a January thaw the farmers living on them were hauling two tons of hay on a two-horse wagon, while the neighboring dirt roads were practically impassable." The cost of a macadamized country road, strong enough to carry the traffic, in the Southern States, is estimated at $4 per rod or $1280 per mile. The district directly benefited by such a road is estimated to embrace an area of "two square miles or 1280 acres for each mile of road, thus making the cost $1 per acre." This cost should be equally divided between the district, the county and the State. The county would soon save its share of the expense in reduced expenditures for repairs, and both State and county would get still further benefit from it in the increased assessed valuation of property.

Some country roads have been built in the East which have cost $10,000 per mile; but, "those roads today are not giving as much satisfaction as some of the roads built for $2000 per mile," is the testimony which General Stone bears on the subject. As a matter of fact he has found that the cheapest roads are the best roads.

Road-building and road-repairing is a matter of great importance in this county. A large proportion of the taxes collected annually for county purposes goes into the Road fund and is spent in repairing the old roadways and in building new ones. But there is a wide field for improvement, not only in the system of repairing, but in the method of construction also.

ANOTHER good newspaper man has retired from the profession in the person of W. A. Lawson, who was for some years associated with the editorial staff of the Marysville *Appeal*, afterward employed in a similar capacity on the Sacramento *Record-Union*, then he went to Los Angeles and was one of the editorial writers of the *Express*. His last newspaper connection was with the *Bulletin*, which paper he recently left, and having previously studied law he was admitted to the bar by the Supreme Court, and has begun to practice. Lawson is a brainy, skillful and accomplished journalist and a perfect gentleman. The writer of this takes a special interest in his welfare, for the reason, if none other were needed, that he instructed him in the rudiments of the profession which he has left and gave him his first newspaper detail. Lawson deserves the highest success in his new profession.

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And never a glimmer of sun in the skies
As bright as the light of her glorious eyes!

Dreams only are true, but they fade and are gone—
For her face is not here when I waken at dawn;
The little red ribbon, the ring and the rose
Mine only; her's only the dream and repose.

I am weary of waiting and weary of tears,
And my heart wearies, too, all these desolate years,
Moaning over the one only song that it knows,
The little red ribbon, the ring and the rose!

—*James Whitcomb Riley.*

RANDOM NOTES.

Paper plates are used in some German restaurants.

A greater number of secret societies exist in China than in any other part of the world.

The recent murder in Gorham, Me., was the first that occurred there since it was incorporated, 158 years ago.

At a supper recently given to some vagrant sandwichmen in London seven out of twelve of the guests had been ordained clergymen of the Church of England.

Twenty-four years ago the Democrats obtained control of the Legislature of Missouri. One of their first official acts was to order the removal of the portrait of Abraham Lincoln from the State House. The whirligig of time surely brings its revenges. The Republicans are once more in the ascendant and "Honest Old Abe's" picture occupies the post of honor.

The Democrats of Elizabethtown, Ky., are trying to cut off the official head of Mrs. Ben Hardin Helm, the Postmistress. Mrs. Helm is a sister of the wife of President Lincoln. Congressman Montgomery, who went under in the Republican landslide, wants the place for one of his followers, but he will hard y be successful, as Mrs. Helm was appointed by President Cleveland during his first administration.

It is estimated that about $10,000,000 has been invested in coffee houses as an antidote of the saloon in England.

The Japanese are fond of bathing. In the city of Tokio there are 800 public bathhouses, in which a person can take a bath, hot or cold, for a sum equal to one half-penny.

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She—Of the gentler sex?

He—Yes. They were men.—*New York Sun.*

EXCITING PERIOD.

The two most exciting periods in a woman's life are when she is listening to her first proposal and bidding on a basket of broken crockery at an auction.—*Tammany Times.*

A DOMESTIC MAN.

Flatte—Whenever my wife is sick and we have no cook I always get breakfast.

Streete—I didn't know you could cook.

Flatte—No more can I.

Streete—Then how the mischief do you get a breakfast fit to eat?

Flatte—I go to the restaurant for it.—*New York Sun.*

THE DIFFERENCE.

Bilkins—There's a lot of difference in women.

Wilkins—For instance?

Bilkins—Well, yesterday I offered my seat in a street car to one and she declined it with thanks, and today I offered it to another and she accepted it without thanks.—*Hartford Courant.*

LOOKING OUT FOR NUMBER ONE.

Inquisitive friend—I suppose you wouldn't be defending that bank robber if you thought he really took the money?

Bright lawyer—I wouldn't be defending him if I didn't think he took enough to pay my bill.—*New York Herald.*

A TRUSTY SERVANT.

Gent (to his pageboy)—If anybody calls you can say I shall be back at 12 o'clock.

Page—Yes, sir.

Gent (returning at 11:30 A. M.)—Has anybody called?

Page—Yes, sir, six beggars. They will look in again at 12 o'clock.—*Kikerikі.*

NOT A NUISANCE.

Pertly—There is one thing I have to say in favor of the wind when it whistles.

Dullhead—What's that?

Pertly—It never whistles popular airs.—*Harper's Bazar.*

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The Prince of Wales wears a 7⅛ hat. The late Czar of Russia, giant as he was, had only a 6⅞ head.

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Rev. John Brown, who effected a settlement of the weavers' strike at Fall River in 1889 and was afterward elected to the Massachusetts Legislature by the workingmen of that city, has returned to Scotland, his native country, to resume a pastorate which he left several years ago.

Palmer, Mass., has a female fire laddie who "runs wid de masheen" and bosses things generally. Mrs. Maria Lawrence is her name, and the boys always feel as if a fire is going to blazes if she isn't somewhere around.

General Lew Wallace denies having suggested or desired the establishment of an American College of Immortals.

The young Duke of Orleans has only escaped being blackballed by the Paris Jockey Club by having his name withdrawn.

Lieutenant Nicholas Savin, who died recently in Russia, entered the French army ninety-six years ago, and his age at death was claimed to be 125.

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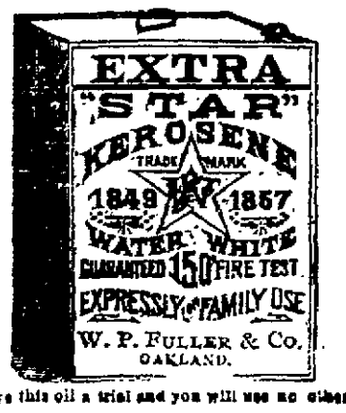

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Cash on hand	511 60	
		$41,364 33

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Net profit to all stock	6,395 08	
Paid up stock	5,700 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry other liabilities	763 23	
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THE WEATHER.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, SAN FRANCISCO, FOR 36 HOURS, ENDING AT 5 P. M., JANUARY 24, 1895.

Northern California—Fair, probably cooler tonight along the central and southern coasts and at Sacramento; frosts tonight; fresh northerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Fair, nearly stationary temperature; fresh northerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON, Forecast Official.

THURSDAY .....JANUARY 24, 1895

It is in order to look out for the report of another Japanese victory and the fall of the stronghold of Wai-Hai-Wei, for the customary Chinese report of a Japanese repulse accompanied with tremendous slaughter, which has invariably preceded such news, has already come to hand from Chee-Foo.

A resolution has been introduced in the Senate to provide for an investigation of the election frauds in San Francisco and the reported crookedness in the Police Department. The first has already been established; the second is strongly suspected to exist; but the depth of iniquity in either case is not known. The Lexow Senate Committee of New York has shown how to get at the root of such evils.

The round-up of vagrants is being carried out with vigor, for which the police are entitled to credit. The only thing to be regretted is that the raid was not begun long ago, for the vags, through the "Industrial Army" organization, have milked the town of its charity, which was too just due of the worthy poor, and they have intimidated the people of this city all winter without any official interference.

The Japanese Government has officially denied the reported atrocities at Port Arthur, and James Creelman, the war correspondent, who was responsible for the publication of the report, is on his way home in response to a recall. His usefulness as a correspondent at the front had been destroyed, whether his reports were true or imaginary, for the Japanese Government had revoked his pass, which left him without any privileges.

The great floods which have recently prevailed in San Diego county are filling the bay of San Diego with detritus. The *Union* says the Tia Juana, Otay and Sweetwater rivers have shoaled the upper end of the bay nearly one foot and brought down enough mud to shoal the entire bay at least two inches. The flood also overflowed the dyke constructed by the Federal Government to turn the waters of the San Diego river into False bay, and did some damage at the north end of San Diego bay. The *Union* calls on the Supervisors to save the latter.

Gladstone has a senior in the House of Commons in the person of Charles Villiers, who is styled the Father of the Commons. Villiers recently celebrated his 93d birthday. He entered Parliament in 1835, and has represented Wolverhampton without a break for sixty years. He was one of the leaders in the fight for the repeal of the Corn laws. His brother was the Earl of Clarendon, who was Foreign Secretary during the Crimean war and in Mr. Gladstone's first administration. But Villiers has been for nearly half a century a nonentity in the British Parliament, while Gladstone has been so strong a personality that every act he has performed and almost every word he has uttered have left their impress upon the events of his day and generation, and his name will go down in history as one of the most remarkable men of any nation and any age. Villiers will be forgotten as soon as he passes away.

The death of Lord Randolph Churchill has been long expected. Churchill began his public career with every promise of a brilliant future, but he soon developed such erratic traits that he could not be relied upon by any faction in Parliament. This was later on attributed to the morphine habit, which he contracted during his college days. It clung to him through life, destroyed his intellect, undermined his constitution, ruined his health and brought him to the grave at an age when most men are at their best, physically and intellectually. Churchill was only 46 years of age. Over ten years ago he broke down, and since then he has been a mental and physical wreck, seeking the ease and health which never came in travel abroad. He was a man who attracted considerable attention in this country, because of his marriage to the daughter of Leonard Jerome of New York, who was counted in her day one of the handsomest women on two continents. Two sons survive as the issue of that marriage. The eldest may inherit the Dukedom of Marlborough—one of the famous ducal coronets in England—as a feeble, unmarried cousin is all that stands between him and it. The Churchills are the next in the line of succession.

Practical Ideas in Road-Building.

Next month a State Road Convention will be held at Sacramento. Among those expected to be present is General Roy Stone, Special Agent and Engineer of the Department of Road Inquiry, which is connected with the United States Department of Agriculture. The latter department has been giving much attention to the subject of general road improvement all over the country, that being a subject intimately associated with the great industry to whose interests the department is particularly devoted.

Good country roads mean everything to the farmer. The cost of every pound of his produce that is hauled to market is affected by the condition of the roadway over which the hauling must be done. The capacity of the work horse enters largely into the economy of the farm. If the roads over which that animal is required to do his work are bad, his load must necessarily be lessened and his value is, to some extent, reduced. This is very clearly illustrated by some facts which General Stone submitted in an address delivered last June at the Southern Immigration and Industrial Congress, which was held at Augusta, Ga. He cited the little city of Goslar, in the Hartz Mountains, which owns a spruce forest of 7000 acres. By careful management the forest permits an annual cut of 300,000 cubic feet of wood and pays a net revenue of $25,000 per annum. "Within a few years," said General Stone, "the city has macadamized the leading roads through the forest, and a very careful system of accounts shows the following results: Full load on old road, 85 to 100 cubic feet; full load on new road, 175 to 250 feet. Average cost of hauling per 1000 feet B. M., old road, $2 70; average cost of hauling per 1000 feet B. M., new road, $1 70; saving per 1000 feet B. M., $1; cost of improvements, $25,000, profit per annum, 10 per cent."

General Stone's address took a decidedly practical form. He not only pointed out the value of good roads, but he also suggested how they may be economically built. He believes that State Prison convicts could be usefully and profitably employed in the preparation of metal for the macadamizing of country roads, and that county prisoners and tramps should be employed in grading and other preparatory work on the roads. "By using the best machinery for crushing stone, and employing the convicts only in quarrying and handling it," says General Stone, "an amount of material could be produced sufficient to macadamize all the roads in the State as fast as they could be prepared, and, in addition, to furnish ballast for the railroads as a consideration for their giving reduced rates on road materials." These are suggestions which could be easily applied in road-building in this State. The Folsom granite quarries could furnish enough metal to cover every roadway in the State.

Most of the country roads in California are natural roads—that is, the roadbed is in a state of nature; the hand of man has done little or nothing toward its improvement. In some sections of the great interior valleys, where the roads are much traveled, a covering of gravel from some convenient river-bed has been spread over the ground. But it furnishes a poor substitute, at best, for macadam. Much traveled California country roads are either axle-deep in mud in winter or they are over the horse's fetlocks in dust in summer, and hauling is not good in either case.

The cost of a good macadamized road might be a bar to its entertainment in the minds of some people. There is not as much of a bugbear in this as might seem at first thought. General Stone says that "the stone roads of Canandaigua, N. Y., cost only $900 per mile." These roads are so well built that "in the midst of a January thaw the farmers living on them were hauling two tons of hay on a two-horse wagon, while the neighboring dirt roads were practically impassable." The cost of a macadamized country road, strong enough to carry the traffic, in the Southern States, is estimated at $4 per rod or $1280 per mile. The district directly benefited by such a road is estimated to embrace an area of "two square miles or 1280 acres for each mile of road, thus making the cost $1 per acre." This cost should be equally divided between the district, the county and the State. The county would soon save its share of the expense in reduced expenditures for repairs, and both State and county would get still further benefit from it in the increased assessed valuation of property.

Some country roads have been built in the East which have cost $10,000 per mile; but, "those roads today are not giving as much satisfaction as some of the roads built for $2000 per mile," is the testimony which General Stone bears on the subject. As a matter of fact he has found that the cheapest roads are the best roads.

Road-building and road-repairing is a matter of great importance in this county. A large proportion of the taxes collected annually for county purposes goes into the Road fund and is spent in repairing the old roadways and in building new ones. But there is a wide field for improvement, not only in the system of repairing, but in the method of construction also.

Another good newspaper man has retired from the profession in the person of W. A. Lawson, who was for some years associated with the editorial staff of the Marysville *Appeal*, afterward employed in a similar capacity on the Sacramento *Record-Union*, then he went to Los Angeles and was one of the editorial writers of the *Express*. His last newspaper connection was with the *Bulletin*, which paper he recently left, and having previously studied law he was admitted to the bar by the Supreme Court, and has begun to practice. Lawson is a brainy, skillful and accomplished journalist and a perfect gentleman. The writer of this takes a special interest in his welfare, for the reason, if none other were needed, that he instructed him in the rudiments of the profession which he has left and gave him his first newspaper detail. Lawson deserves the highest success in his new profession.

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The little red ribbon, the ring and the rose'
And never a glimmer of sun in the skies
As bright as the light of her glorious eyes'

Dreams only are true, but they fade and are gone—
For her face is not here when I waken at dawn;
The little red ribbon, the ring and the rose
Mine only, her's only the dream and repose.

I am weary of waiting and weary of tears,
And my heart wearies, too, all these desolate years,
Moaning over the one only song that it knows,
The little red ribbon, the ring and the rose
—*James Whitcomb Riley.*

RANDOM NOTES.

Paper plates are used in some German restaurants.

A greater number of secret societies exist in China than in any other part of the world.

The recent murder in Gorham, Me., was the first that occurred there since it was incorporated, 158 years ago.

At a supper recently given to some vagrant sandwichmen in London seven out of twelve of the guests had been ordained clergymen of the Church of England.

Twenty-four years ago the Democrats obtained control of the Legislature of Missouri. One of their first official acts was to order the removal of the portrait of Abraham Lincoln from the State House. The whirligig of time surely brings its revenges. The Republicans are once more in the ascendant and "Honest Old Abe's" picture occupies the post of honor.

The Democrats of Elizabethtown, Ky., are trying to cut off the official head of Mrs. Ben Hardin Helm, the Postmistress. Mrs. Helm is a sister of the wife of President Lincoln. Congressman Montgomery, who went under in the Republican landslide, wants the place for one of his followers, but he will hardly be successful, as Mrs. Helm was appointed by President Cleveland during his first administration.

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Page—Yes, sir.

Gent (returning at 11:30 A. M.)—Has anybody called?

Page—Yes, sir, six beggars. They will look in again at 12 o'clock.—*Kikeriki.*

NOT A NUISANCE.

Pertly—There is one thing I have to say in favor of the wind when it whistles.

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BITS OF GOSSIP.

The Prince of Wales wears a 7⅛ hat. The late Czar of Russia, giant as he was, had only a 6⅞ head.

William Cox of Monticello, Ky., ate his New Year's dinner at a table around which sat three of his living wives, two of whom he had divorced.

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Rev. John Brown, who effected a settlement of the weavers' strike at Fall River in 1889 and was afterward elected to the Massachusetts Legislature by the workingmen of that city, has returned to Scotland, his native country, to resume a pastorate which he left several years ago.

Palmer, Mass., has a female file faddle who "runs wid de masheen" and bosses things generally. Mrs. Maria Lawrence is her name, and the boys always feel as if a fire is going to blazes if she isn't somewhere around.

General Lew Wallace denies having suggested or desired the establishment of an American College of Immortals.

The young Duke of Orleans has only escaped being blackballed by the Paris Jockey Club by having his name withdrawn.

Lieutenant Nicholas Savin, who died recently in Russia, entered the French army ninety-six years ago, and his age at death was claimed to be 125.

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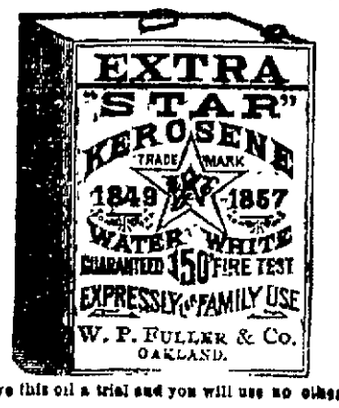

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Cash on hand	181 60	
		$42,804 21

LIABILITIES.

Dues paid—all Series	$28,239 07	
Net profit to all stock	6,595 06	
Paid up stock	8,000 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry other liabilities	765 24	
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VALUE OF SHARES.

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Exceeding Activity Among Many of the Lodges.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather that has prevailed the past week, there has been considerable activity displayed among the local secret orders, a record of which will be found below. A number of interesting events are also underlined for the next two weeks:

Native Sons'.

The joint committee of the several local parlors, Native Sons of the Golden West, are working earnestly by way of preparations for the Grand Parlor which is to be held in this city in April next. They have agreed upon a petition which is now in circulation among the business people of this city, asking for subscriptions to the fund for the purpose of properly entertaining the delegates who will come to the Grand Parlor from all parts of the State.

This is the first time that the Native Sons of this city have asked anything from the residents and business men of Oakland.

Even now, they ask for only $2500 or $3000. This is only a mere bagatelle when one considers the number of patriotic Californians who reside here, and the honor that has been conferred on Oakland in selecting it as the place for the meeting of the next Grand Parlor.

This is a distinction which can be enjoyed by no city twice in succession, and, in fact, cannot be repeated any place, until after the lapse of many years.

Wherever the Grand Parlor has met, there has been no lack of entertainment, no want of public spirit on the part of the citizens displayed toward the delegates.

As a consequence, the representatives have returned to their homes with lively feelings of gratitude toward their entertainers and kind remembrance of the city whose hospitality they had enjoyed.

There is no city in the State which can, because of the beauty of its surroundings, make more favorable impression upon the coming guests than Oakland can. There is no city which has, relatively speaking, more patriotic Californians than Oakland. There is no city in California which contains, comparatively speaking, more manly young men and more beautiful Native Daughters than Oakland. All these things being taken into consideration in connection with the coming Grand Parlor, it would seem that the people of this city in sustaining the local parlors in making arrangements for the coming great event would be doing, not alone what those of other communities have done, and done well too, but something which the people throughout the State expect them to do, and to do also in a very thorough manner.

The forthcoming Grand Parlor ought to be the finest that has ever been held in the State. It will be attended by a larger number of delegates than has been present at any previous Grand Parlor. Each of the delegates will pay his own traveling and hotel expenses. This will be a source of revenue to the restaurants, rooming-houses and hotels of the city. Each of the delegates will spend money in making purchases of something he may need, or his wife, sister or sweetheart may need at home, and this will help to swell the income of merchants of all kinds in this city.

The Grand Parlor, therefore, will result as a financial benefit to this city, while at the same time the beauty, hospitality and climate of the place will be commended by the delegates, who will be properly entertained.

For all these reasons it has been suggested that the several sub-committees of the joint committee who will call upon the people of this city with the hope of obtaining subscriptions will be kindly received and liberally encouraged.

The committees are as follows: To call on the mercantile houses, H. D. Belden, H. W. Gard, E. H. Reed; hotels and restaurants, Con Reuter, J. F. Cronin, C. E. Coswell; public officials, J. F. Kenney, G. J. Hans, R. W. Church; railroads, Paul Wuthe, Judge J. J. Allen, William Geary; corporations and professional men, C. E. Snook and Dr. Mayon.

PIEDMONT PARLOR.

The installation of the officers of Piedmont Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, took place last Thursday night. The exercises were conducted by District Deputy Grand President Barber, and J. J. Naegle acted as marshal.

The officers were as follows: President, Dr. O. T. Wilson; first vice president, Fred Hammerly; second vice president, J. Barnett; third vice president, P. M. Walsh; recording secretary, H. L. Tisdale; financial secretary, Herbert Seiler; treasurer, C. Reuter; marshal, J. Healey; trustee, C. Kratam; inside sentinel, W. Hughes; outside sentinel, W. B. Miller.

After the installation there was a fine programme carried out, among the features of which were a ballad, by M. Murphy; remarks, J. J. Naegle; zither solo, Miss Blessing; recitation, Gladys Jackson; piano solo, Mabel Ranson; song, Joseph Healey; song, Mabel Ranson; piano quartet, Misses Palmer, Beach, Philbrook and Evers; song, "Be Kind to Mother When I'm Gone" (his own composition), Mr. Moorehead.

Knights of Pythias.

The annual social and reunion of West Oakland Lodge, No. 141, Knights of Pythias, will take place in Masonic Hall, corner of Seventh and Willow streets, on the evening of January 29th. Grand Vice Chancellor Samuels will deliver an address.

The thirty-second anniversary of the establishment of the Pythian order will soon be reached. There is quite an amount of talk being indulged in by the members of the various local Pythian lodges of celebrating the event with a grand public entertainment.

On Monday next District Deputy Grand Chancellor Borland will install the officers of Piedmont Lodge, No. 172.

The corrected list of the officers and directors of the Pythian Hall Association is as follows: President, William Watkinson; vice president, John N. Bonham; secretary, George Samuels; directors, E. J. Murphy, S. A. Brown, T. Jackson, John Crossmann, D. A. Henderson, E. M. Bernstein, C. B. Demcormier, C. Isaacs, E. Schwarzbaum, S. Samuels, John Ferguson, P. Mathewson.

The report showed that there are $518 45 in the treasury, with undivided profits, $235,000.

The secretary was instructed to issue illuminated cards soliciting the purchase of stock by members as a means of paying off a mortgage of $2000. The association is in a flourishing condition and every member is delighted.

United Workmen.

KEYSTONE WIDE-AWAKE.

No special programme was laid out for Keystone Lodge No. 64, Ancient Order of United Workmen, on Tuesday evening. The meeting held that night was a lively one notwithstanding. After routine work had been completed, the members indulged in songs and stories, which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Agreeably to his promise, J. R. Taylor, M. W., favored the lodge with the song, "Then You'll Remember Me," receiving great applause, the selection having been rendered in operatic style.

Brothers A. Jacobs and George S. Johnson were also very entertaining and their efforts received hearty encores.

Next Tuesday evening will be the last meeting night of Keystone Lodge at Fraternity Hall, their new quarters on Thirteenth street, between Clay and Jefferson, being ready for occupancy.

The Committee on Hall and Banquet has already made considerable progress, rendering the outlook for the coming festivities very bright. In fact, Keystone is never asleep, each shining moment being improved in some serviceable manner.

Past Master Workman, W. A. Mathewson, a most earnest workers in the society, will deliver an address on the opening night at the new hall. His subject will be "Progress." He will be followed by J. G. Poorman, P. M. W., whose eloquence is too well known to be mentioned.

PACIFIC LODGE.

The officers of Pacific Lodge No. 7, Ancient Order of United Workmen, were installed Thursday evening, January 10th, by District Deputy Silva, assisted by his team of officers. After the installation ceremonies, the retiring recorder, C. P. Griswold was presented with a cane by Brother William Winnie on behalf of the lodge and the newly-installed Master Workman, Dr. J. L. Mayon, presented his predecessor in office, C. R. Haswell, with an elegant past masters workman's badge, a gift of the lodge.

Pacific Lodge expects to initiate a number of candidates shortly and their drill team will get to work soon, so as to be ready for them.

The next session of the Grand Lodge will be held in Los Angeles in April.

Grand Master Workman J. W. Wood has offered prizes to be competed for by the drill teams.

With a little effort, Oakland could capture the first prize, as Pacific Lodge has a well-drilled team that would make the orange-raisers hustle a little to beat.

WEST END LODGE.

West End Lodge, No. 175, Alameda, Ancient Order of United Workmen, held memorial exercises last Friday evening at Holts Hall, the anniversary of the death of J. J. Unchurch, founder of the order.

The exercises were opened with the singing of the ode of the order, after which Rev. J. J. Martin delivered the address. He alluded to the work accomplished by West End Lodge, which has a death roll of eleven, and has expended $22,000 in benefits.

Miss Jennie Gath delivered a recitation entitled "Love," and J. W. Fiusterbusch rendered a vocal solo.

Past Grand Master Workman John N. Young also delivered an appropriate address.

IVY LODGE, DEGREE OF HONOR.

The following newly elected officers of Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, Ancient Order of United Workmen, took their respective chairs last Monday evening: Past chief of honor, Mrs. William Cogan; chief of honor, Mrs. A. A. Wood; lady of honor, Mrs. A. Marks; sister of ceremonies, Mrs. William Oakes; sister usher, Mrs. William Moore; inside guardian, Mrs. Le Prince; outside guardian, Brother Schoonover; recorder, Miss Laura McCracken; financial secretary, Mrs. W. Ingersoll; treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Mitchell.

Only a short session was held, as an invitation had been received from Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, Ancient Order of United Workmen, to attend its memorial services.

All the members present adjourned in a body and attended the impressive ceremonies.

The following programme was carried out in honor of Brothers Sturrock and Hinckley, late of Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, Ancient Order of United Workmen:

Remarks by Master Workman Murray; opening ode by the audience; eulogy, Brother Cogan, subject, "Brother Sturrock," which was a heartfelt and eloquent testimonial to the worth of the departed brother; tenor solo, "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death," Brother Oakes; eulogy, Brother Preston, subject, "Brother Hinckley," which was eloquently delivered; hymn, "Scatter Seeds of Kindness," Sisters Cogan and Oakes, and Brothers Preston and Ingersoll; closing remarks, Grand Recorder C. S. Hirshberg; bass solo, "The Inquiry," Mr. Trow, which was finely rendered. This gentleman has one of the best voices ever heard in the walls of Fraternal Hall. The closing hymn, "Come, Ye Disconsolate," was rendered by Sisters Oakes and Cogan and Brother Oakes and Trow.

Odd Fellows.

The Grand Master will visit University Lodge, No. 144, this evening, when the first degree will be conferred on several candidates.

REBEKAH CONTEST.

There is to be a lively contest among the Rebekah lodges of this district on the 30th and 31st of this month. It will take place in Germania Hall, and will attract a great deal of attention from among the members of the order. The prizes will be a set of ivory gavels. The contest will be in the exemplification of the initiatory work, and the following lodges will take part in it: Brooklyn Lodge, No. 12; Oakland Lodge, No. 16; Sunset Lodge, No. 109; Abait Invidia Lodge, No. 11, and Fair Oaks Lodge, No. 4.

Members of the order will be given an opportunity to witness the work, which will be done in a most creditable manner.

ODD FELLOWS' RELIEF COMMITTEE.

The Oakland General Relief Committee, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which meets every Sunday at 10 A. M. in Independent Order of Odd Fellows' Hall, Eleventh and Franklin streets, re-organized at their last meeting for the forty-third semi-annual term.

During the past six months this committee disposed of $3342 for the relief of Odd Fellows sick or in distress.

The Relief Committee is composed of two officers from each of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' lodges in the city of Oakland. The election of officers was as follows: Dr. Kitchings, president; J. B. Tallmann, vice president; James E. Crane, corresponding secretary; P. D. Vorhees, financial secretary; F. S. Lockwood, treasurer.

AUREOLE LODGE.

Aureole Lodge, Rebekah Degree of Odd Fellows, installed officers for the ensuing term as follows, at Montana Hall last Thursday evening: Noble grand, Mrs. Edith Edwards; vice grand, Mrs. McKean; recording secretary, Miss Annie Barnes; permanent secretary, Mrs. Mary Summers; right supporter noble grand, Miss Dolly Knable; left supporter, Miss Gove; right supporter, vice grand, Miss Annie Bradford; left supporter, Miss Bauneu; treasurer, Mrs. Cad Cook; warden, Mrs. Susie Sackie; conductor, Mrs. Van Leser; right scene supporter, Miss Ettebbecker; left scene supporter, Miss Nellie Bryant; inside guard, Miss Mary Cook; outside guard, Sam McGowan. The hall was beautifully decorated and was thronged with visitors, some being in attendance from San Jose and San Francisco. After the installation a splendid banquet was partaken of, and altogether a most enjoyable evening was passed by those present.

FOUNTAIN LODGE.

Fountain Lodge, No. 198, last Monday evening initiated one candidate.

Harbor Lodge will have initiation ceremonies next Wednesday evening, and Porter Lodge, No 272, will initiate candidates on the same evening.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society is preparing a drama to be presented sometime in February.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, January 29th, at California Hall. It will be an important meeting, and all members are requested to be present.

Eastern Star.

Unity Chapter, No. 65, Order of Eastern Star, will give a bonbon party in Fraternity Hall, corner of Seventh and Peralta streets, next Monday night.

Retail Clerks.

The Retail Clerks' Association held an enthusiastic and well attended meeting last Monday evening.

First Vice President R. Rosenberg filled the chair in a very capable manner.

Ten applications for membership were received and will be acted upon at the next meeting.

Officers for the ensuing term were nominated. The election will take place next Monday evening.

Great enthusiasm was manifested in the nominations and, from present indications, a new era seems to be about to open for the association. New members are coming in with a rush and the treasurer reports that the treasury is in a splendid financial condition.

M. Isaacs, delegate to the Federated Trades of Alameda county, reported that a committee from the Federation had called upon a certain storekeeper on Broadway, who has always been inimical to the Clerks' interests, and reminded him of his violated pledge with reference to the Sunday-closing movement.

A full report will be heard upon the subject at the next meeting of the Federation.

Mr. Isaacs also stated that several other societies and unions, not affiliated with the Federated Trades, had promised their hearty support in sustaining the Sunday-closing agreement.

At the next meeting a motion will be brought up to change the night of meeting from Monday to Wednesday.

A lengthy communication from the Clerks' National Protective Association complimenting the local union upon its excellent work in the past was received.

A case full of books, appertaining to the interests of the Clerks of the United States was also received from the National Association, and a vote of thanks was returned.

The resignation of Walter Waterman, occasioned by his permanent departure to San Jose, was received with sincere regret, Mr. Waterman having, by his personal efforts, done a good deal of good for the union. He was a host in himself in all matters which affected the interests of the Retail Clerks.

Star of Bethlehem.

Star of Truth Lodge, No. 19, Order Star of Bethlehem, will celebrate the anniversary of the organization with a social and dance in its rooms at California Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets, next Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. All members are requested to be present and bring their families and friends. The guests will pass a pleasant evening, as the committee in charge will endeavor to make the celebration a great success. Refreshments will be served.

Sons of Veterans.

Col. E. D. Baker Camp, Sons of Veterans, will give their monthly social and dance at Grand Army of the Republic Hall, Monday evening, January 28th.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

Court Triumph, a new link in this universal Order of Foresters, will be instituted at an early date.

The charter members were initiated in Court Advocate Wednesday evening of last week, and the nucleus promises well for the prosperity of the new court.

The initiatory work was most creditably performed by High Court Officer Ferris and Chief Ranger Ricketts, assisted by the other officials of Court Advocate.

COMPANIONS OF THE FOREST.

Oakland Circle, No. 5, Companions of the Forest, will hereafter meet every Monday evening in Dania Hall, corner of Eighth and Broadway. This circle is now initiating one or two members at every meeting. It will give a social in a few weeks to help raise a social fund for the benefit of its members.

SCHEEL HIMSELF.

He Will Be Heard Here One Week From Tomorrow.

The great concert by the full Scheel Orchestra, including the great leader and director, Scheel, himself, takes place in the Macdonough Theater one week from tomorrow night. On that occasion this great musical combination, which so delighted Oakland people one year ago, will appear. The orchestra comprises more than fifty performers.

Cash orders for seats for this concert are pouring into the box office of the Macdonough with wonderful rapidity. This proves that Manager Cook's energy in securing the entire orchestra of fifty musicians, with Herr Fritz Scheel at its head, is appreciated by Oakland's lovers of music. The box office, for the sale of seats, opens next Monday at 9 o'clock A. M. Prices will be 25, 50 and 75 cents.

FOOTPADS AT WORK.

Two Men Held Up in the Suburbs Last Night.

A Fruit Vale man named Andrews was stood up last night near his home and relieved of $2 05 and a silk handkerchief which he wore about his neck. The robber menaced his victim with a stout club instead of the customary pistol.

Ernest Wagner, son of Superintendent Wagner of the Judson Iron Works, was stopped within a block of his house on Dwight way, Tuesday night, by a short heavy-set man. The Berkeleyite had nothing of value in his pockets and was allowed to go after a search.

THE WHIST CLUB.

Formal Opening of the New Quarters This Evening.

The new quarters of the Oakland Whist Club in the Central Bank building will be formally opened this evening to the members and their friends. A general invitation has been extended to those interested to be present, when the rooms will be thrown open for inspection. It is expected that there will be a throng of visitors this evening, as the club has a large membership composed of many of the most prominent society people of Oakland.

The Annual Meeting.

The stockholders of the California Bank held their annual meeting January 19th at the bank building on Twelfth and Washington streets.

The report of President Jacob Greenhood showed a large increase in business. The number of directors was increased from seven to nine.

The old board, composed of A. C. Henry, John W. Phillips, Victor H. Metcalf, Jacob Greenhood, S. M. Babbitt, Anson Barstow and Charles Jurgens, was re-elected.

The new members are W. W. Whitman and C. L. Maxwell.

President Greenhood and Cashier Brooks were re-elected.

Christian Endeavor Meeting.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Christian Endeavorers of Alameda county will be held tomorrow evening at the First Congregational Church to consider several matters of interest.

The Floating Christian Endeavorers will celebrate their third anniversary this evening at the Second Congregational Church, West Oakland.

The Charity Woodyard.

The Associated Charities' woodyard was opened yesterday at Telegraph avenue and Twentieth street, under the management of H. E. Robbins. Orders may be telephoned to the yard, No. 691, or the office of the association, No. 209. The yard is open from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M.; the office from 10 to 12 M. and 3 to 5 P. M.

Pacific Astronomers.

The next regular meeting of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific will be held in the California Academy of Sciences building next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. A number of interesting papers will be read, among which will be one on the "Sun's Motion in Space," by W. H. L. Monck.

Married in the East.

Miss H. E. Hughes of this city, who has been visiting in the East for the past two years, was recently married to Joseph C. Dawson, a prominent young business man of Philadelphia.

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The remaining numbers of "Glimpses of America" have arrived and are now ready for delivery at the TRIBUNE office. Parties having incomplete sets should make application for missing numbers at once.

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MALE—John Hamilton, 4 years; Alfred Ruiz, 4 years; Fred Ewing, 1 year; Alvin Shade, 7 years; Carroll Shade, 6 years; Charles Todd, 8 years; George Miller, 2 years.

Ladies' Relief Society—Children to Be Advertised in January.

HALF ORPHANS—Jennie Faber (f) aged 11 years; Walfred Faber (m) aged 11 months.

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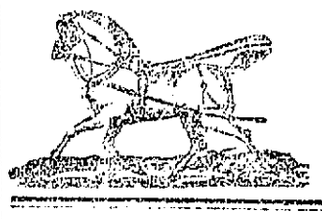

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Exceeding Activity Among Many of the Lodges.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather that has prevailed the past week, there has been considerable activity displayed among the local secret orders, a record of which will be found below. A number of interesting events are also underlined for the next two weeks:

Native Sons'.

The joint committee of the several local parlors, Native Sons of the Golden West, are working earnestly by way of preparations for the Grand Parlor which is to be held in this city in April next. They have agreed upon a petition which is now in circulation among the business people of this city, asking for subscriptions to the fund for the purpose of properly entertaining the delegates who will come to the Grand Parlor from all parts of the State.

This is the first time that the Native Sons of this city have asked anything from the residents and business men of Oakland.

Even now, they ask for only $2500 or $3000. This is only a mere bagatelle when one considers the number of patriotic Californians who reside here, and the honor that has been conferred on Oakland in selecting it as the place for the meeting of the next Grand Parlor.

This is a distinction which can be enjoyed by no city twice in succession, and, in fact, cannot be repeated any place, until after the lapse of many years.

Wherever the Grand Parlor has met, there has been no lack of entertainment, no want of public spirit on the part of the citizens displayed toward the delegates.

As a consequence, the representatives have returned to their homes with lively feelings of gratitude toward their entertainers and kind remembrance of the city whose hospitality they had enjoyed.

There is no city in the State which can, because of the beauty of its surroundings, make more favorable impression upon the coming guests than Oakland can. There is no city which has, relatively speaking, more patriotic Californians than Oakland. There is no city in California which contains, comparatively speaking, more manly young men and more beautiful Native Daughters than Oakland. All these things being taken into consideration in connection with the coming Grand Parlor, it would seem that the people of this city in sustaining the local parlors in making arrangements for the coming great event would be doing, not alone what those of other communities have done, and done well too, but something which the people throughout the State expect them to do, and to do also in a very thorough manner.

The forthcoming Grand Parlor ought to be the finest that has ever been held in the State. It will be attended by a larger number of delegates than has been present at any previous Grand Parlor. Each of the delegates will pay his own traveling and hotel expenses. This will be a source of revenue to the restaurants, roominghouses and hotels of the city. Each of the delegates will spend money in making purchases of something he may need, or his wife, sister or sweetheart may need at home, and this will help to swell the income of merchants of all kinds in this city.

The Grand Parlor, therefore, will result as a financial benefit to this city, while at the same time the beauty, hospitality and climate of the place will be commended by the delegates, who will be properly entertained.

For all these reasons it has been suggested that the several sub-committees of the joint committee who will call upon the people of this city with the hope of obtaining subscriptions will be kindly received and liberally encouraged.

The committees are as follows: To call on the mercantile houses, H. D. Bolden, H. W. Gard, E. H. Reed; hotels and restaurants, Con Reuter, J. F. Crouin, C. E. Coswell; public officials, J. F. Kenney, G. J. Hans, R. W. Church; railroads, Paul Wuthe, Judge J. J. Allen, William Geary; corporations and professional men, C. E. Snook and Dr. Mayon.

PIEDMONT PARLOR.

The installation of the officers of Piedmont Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, took place last Thursday night. The exercises were conducted by District Deputy Grand President Barber, and J. J. Naegle acted as marshal.

The officers were as follows: President, Dr. O. T. Wilson; first vice president, Fred Hammerly, second vice president, J. Barnett; third vice president, P. M. Walsh; recording secretary, H. L. Tisdale, financial secretary, Herbert Seiler; treasurer, C. Reuter; marshal, J. Healey; trustee, C. Kramm; inside sentinel, W. Hughes; outside sentinel, W. B. Miller.

After the installation there was a fine programme carried out, among the features of which were a ballad, by M. Murphy; remarks, J. J. Naegle; zither solo, Miss Blessing; recitation, Gladys Jackson; piano solo, Mabel Ranson; song, Joseph Healey; song, Mabel Ranson; piano quartet, Misses Palmer, Beach, Philbrook and Evers; song, "Be Kind to Mother When I'm Gone" (his own composition), Mr. Moorehead.

Knights of Pythias.

The annual social and reunion of West Oakland Lodge, No. 111, Knights of Pythias, will take place in Masonic Hall, corner of Seventh and Willow streets, on the evening of January 29th. Grand Vice Chancellor Samuels will deliver an address.

The thirty-second anniversary of the establishment of the Pythian order will soon be reached. There is quite an amount of talk being indulged in by the members of the various local Pythian lodges of celebrating the event with a grand public entertainment.

On Monday next District Deputy Grand Chancellor Borland will install the officers of Piedmont Lodge, No. 172.

The corrected list of the officers and directors of the Pythian Hall Association is as follows: President, William Watkinson; vice president, John N. Bonham; secretary, George Samuels, directors, E. J. Murphy, S. A. Brown, T. Jackson, John Greenman, D. L. Henderson, L. M. Bernstein, C. E. J. Descormier, C. Isaacs, E. Schwarzschild, S. Samuels, John Ferguson, P. Matthewson.

The report showed that there are $518 45 in the treasury, with undivided profits, $2635 [illegible].

The secretary was instructed to issue illuminated cards soliciting the purchase of stock by members as a means of paying off a mortgage of $2000. The association is in a flourishing condition and every member is delighted.

United Workmen.

KEYSTONE WIDE-AWAKE.

No special programme was laid out for Keystone Lodge No. 64, Ancient Order of United Workmen, on Tuesday evening. The meeting held that night was a lively one notwithstanding. After routine work had been completed, the members indulged in songs and stories, which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Agreeably to his promise, J. R. Taylor, M. W., favored the lodge with the song, "Then You'll Remember Me," receiving great applause, the selection having been rendered in operatic style.

Brothers A. Jacobs and George S. Johnson were also very entertaining and their efforts received hearty encores.

Next Tuesday evening will be the last meeting night of Keystone Lodge at Fraternity Hall, their new quarters on Thirteenth street, between Clay and Jefferson, being ready for occupancy.

The Committee on Hall and Banquet has already made considerable progress, rendering the outlook for the coming festivities very bright. In fact, Keystone is never asleep, each shining moment being improved in some serviceable manner.

Past Master Workman, W. A. Mathewson, a most earnest workers in the society, will deliver an address on the opening night at the new hall. His subject will be "Progress." He will be followed by J. G. Poorman, P. M. W., whose eloquence is too well known to be mentioned.

PACIFIC LODGE.

The officers of Pacific Lodge No. 7, Ancient Order of United Workmen, were installed Thursday evening, January 10th, by District Deputy Silva, assisted by his team of officers. After the installation ceremonies, the retiring recorder, C. P. Griswold was presented with a cane by Brother William Winnie on behalf of the lodge and the newly-installed Master Workman, Dr. J. L. Mayon, presented his predecessor in office, C. E. Haswell, with an elegant past masters workman's badge, a gift of the lodge.

Pacific Lodge expects to initiate a number of candidates shortly and their drill team will get to work soon, so as to be ready for them.

The next session of the Grand Lodge will be held in Los Angeles in April.

Grand Master Workman J. W. Wood has offered prizes to be competed for by the drill teams.

With a little effort, Oakland could capture the first prize, as Pacific Lodge has a well-drilled team that would make the orange-raisers hustle a little to beat.

WEST END LODGE.

West End Lodge, No. 175, Alameda Ancient Order of United Workmen, held memorial exercises last Friday evening at Holtz Hall, the anniversary of the death of I. J. Upchurch, founder of the order.

The exercises were opened with the singing of the ode of the order, after which Rev. J. J. Martin delivered the address. He alluded to the work accomplished by West End Lodge, which has a death roll of eleven, and has expended $22,000 in benefits.

Miss Jennie Saith delivered a recitation entitled "Love," and J. W. Finsterbusch rendered a vocal solo.

Past Grand Master Workman John N. Young also delivered an appropriate address.

IVY DEGREE OF HONOR.

The following newly elected officers of Ivy Lodge, No. 1, Degree of Honor, Ancient Order of United Workmen, took their respective chairs last Monday evening: Past chief of honor, Mrs. William Cogan; chief of honor, Mrs. A. A. Wood; lady of honor, Mrs. A. Marks; sister of ceremonies, Mrs. William Oakes; sister usher, Mrs. William Moore; inside guardian, Mrs. La Prince; outside guardian, Brother Schoonover; recorder, Miss Laura McCracken; financial secretary, Mrs. W. Ingersoll; treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Mitchell.

Only a short session was held, as an invitation had been received from Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, Ancient Order of United Workmen, to attend its memorial services.

All the members present adjourned in a body and attended the impressive ceremonies.

The following programme was carried out in honor of Brothers Sturrock and Hinckley, late of Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35, Ancient Order of United Workmen:

Remarks by Master Workman Murray; opening ode by the audience; eulogy, Brother Cogan, subject, "Brother Sturrock," which was a heartfelt and eloquent testimonial to the worth of the departed brother; tenor solo, "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death," Brother Oakes, eulogy, Brother Preston, subject, "Brother Hinckley," which was eloquently delivered; hymn, "Scatter Seeds of Kindness," Sisters Cogan and Oakes, and Brothers Preston and Ingersoll; closing remarks, Grand Recorder C. S. Hirshberg, bass solo, "The Inquiry," Mr. Trow, which was finely rendered. This gentleman has one of the best voices ever heard in the walls of Fraternal Hall. The closing hymn, "Come, Ye Disconsolate," was rendered by Sisters Oakes and Cogan and Brother Oakes and Trow.

Odd Fellows.

The Grand Master will visit University Lodge, No. 111, this evening, when the first degree will be conferred on several candidates.

REBEKAH CONTEST.

There is to be a lively contest among the Rebekah lodges of this district on the 30th and 31st of this month. It will take place in Germania Hall, and will attract a great deal of attention from among the members of the order. The prizes will be a set of ivory gavels. The contest will be in the exemplification of the initiatory work, and the following lodges will take part in it: Brooklyn Lodge, No. 12; Oakland Lodge, No. 16; Sunset Lodge, No. 109, Absit Invidia Lodge, No. 11, and Fair Oaks Lodge, No. 1.

Members of the order will be given an opportunity to witness the work, which will be done in a most creditable manner.

ODD FELLOWS' RELIEF COMMITTEE.

The Oakland General Relief Committee, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which meets every Sunday at 10 a. m. in Independent Order of Odd Fellows' Hall, Eleventh and Franklin streets, re-organized at their last meeting for the forty-third semi-annual term.

During the past six months this committee disposed of $642 for the relief of Odd Fellows sick or in distress.

The Relief Committee is composed of two officers from each of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' lodges in the city of Oakland. The election of officers was as follows: Dr. Kitchings, president; J. R. Tallmann, vice president, James F. Crane, corresponding secretary, E. D. Vorhees, financial secretary; F. S. Lockwood, treasurer.

ARGYLE LODGE.

Argyle Lodge, Rebekah Degree of Odd Fellows, installed officers for the ensuing term as follows, at Montana Hall last Thursday evening: Noble grand, Mrs. Edith Edwards; vice grand, Mrs. McKean, recording secretary, Miss Annie Barnes, permanent secretary, Mrs. Mary Summers; right supporter noble grand, Miss Dolly Knable; left supporter, Miss Gove; right supporter, vice grand, Miss Annie Bradford; left supporter, Miss Bauneu; treasurer, Mrs. Cad Cook, warden, Mrs. Susie Sackie; conductor, Mrs. Van Leser, right scene supporter, Miss Etchbecker; left scene supporter, Miss Nellie Bryant; inside guard, Miss May Cook, outside guard, Sam McGowan. The hall was beautifully decorated and was thronged with visitors, some being in attendance from San Jose and San Francisco. After the installation a splendid banquet was partaken of, and altogether a most enjoyable evening was passed by those present.

FOUNTAIN LODGE.

Fountain Lodge, No. 168, last Monday evening initiated one candidate.

Harbor Lodge will have initiation ceremonies next Wednesday evening, and Porter Lodge, No 272, will initiate candidates on the same evening.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society is preparing a drama to be presented sometime in February.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, January 29th, at California Hall. It will be an important meeting, and all members are requested to be present.

Eastern Star.

Unity Chapter, No. 65, Order of Eastern Star, will give a bonbon party in Fraternity Hall, corner of Seventh and Peralta streets, next Monday night.

Retail Clerks.

The Retail Clerks' Association held an enthusiastic and well attended meeting last Monday evening.

First Vice President R. Rosenberg filled the chair in a very capable manner.

Ten applications for membership were received and will be acted upon at the next meeting.

Officers for the ensuing term were nominated. The election will take place next Monday evening.

Great enthusiasm was manifested in the nominations and, from present indications, a new era seems to be about to open for the association. New members are coming in with a rush and the treasurer reports that the treasury is in a splendid financial condition.

M. Isaacs, delegate to the Federated Trades of Alameda county, reported that a committee from the Federation had called upon a certain storekeeper on Broadway, who has always been inimical to the Clerks' interests, and reminded him of his violated pledge with reference to the Sunday-closing movement.

A full report will be heard upon the subject at the next meeting of the Federation.

Mr. Isaacs also stated that several other societies and unions, not affiliated with the Federated Trades, had promised their hearty support in sustaining the Sunday-closing agreement.

At the next meeting a motion will be brought up to change the night of meeting from Monday to Wednesday.

A lengthy communication from the Clerks' National Protective Association complimenting the local union upon its excellent work in the past was received.

A case full of books, appertaining to the interests of the Clerks of the United States was also received from the National Association, and a vote of thanks was returned.

The resignation of Walter Waterman, occasioned by his permanent departure to San Jose, was received with sincere regret, Mr. Waterman having, by his personal efforts, done a good deal of good for the union. He was a host in himself in all matters which affected the interests of the Retail Clerks.

Star of Bethlehem.

Star of Truth Lodge, No. 16, Order Star of Bethlehem, will celebrate the anniversary of the organization with a social and dance in its rooms at California Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets, next Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. All members are requested to be present and bring their families and friends. The guests will pass a pleasant evening, as the committee in charge will endeavor to make the celebration a great success. Refreshments will be served.

Sons of Veterans.

Col E. D. Baker Camp, Sons of Veterans, will give their monthly social and dance at Grand Army of the Republic Hall, Monday evening, January 28th.

Ancient Order of Foresters.

Court Triumph, a new link in this universal order of Foresters, will be instituted at an early date.

The charter members were initiated in Court Advocate Wednesday evening of last week, and the nucleus promises well for the prosperity of the new court.

The initiatory work was most creditably performed by High Court Officer Ferris and Chief Ranger Ricketts, assisted by the other officials of Court Advocate.

COMPANIONS OF THE FOREST.

Oakland Circle, No. [illegible], Companions of the Forest, will hereafter meet every Monday evening in Danz Hall, corner of Eighth and Broadway. This circle is now initiating one or two members at every meeting. It will give a social in a few weeks to help raise a social fund for the benefit of its members.

SCHEEL HIMSELF.

He Will Be Heard Here One Week From Tomorrow.

The great concert by the full Scheel Orchestra, including the great leader and director, Scheel, himself, takes place in the Macdonough Theater one week from tomorrow night. On that occasion this great musical combination, which so delighted Oakland people one year ago, will appear. The orchestra comprises more than fifty performers.

Cash orders for seats for this concert are pouring into the box office of the Macdonough with wonderful rapidity. This proves that Manager Cook's energy in securing the entire orchestra of fifty musicians, with Herr Fritz Scheel at its head, is appreciated by Oakland's lovers of music. The box office, for the sale of seats, opens next Monday at 9 o'clock a. m. Prices will be 25, 50 and 75 cents.

FOOTPADS AT WORK.

Two Men Held Up in the Suburbs Last Night.

A Fruit Vale man named Andrews was stood up last night near his home and relieved of $2 95 and a silk handkerchief which he wore about his neck. The robber menaced his victim with a stout club instead of the customary pistol.

Ernest Wagner, son of Superintendent Wagner of the Judson Iron Works, was stopped within a block of his house on Dwight way, Tuesday night, by a short heavy-set man. The Berkeleyite had nothing of value in his pockets and was allowed to go after a search.

THE WHIST CLUB.

Formal Opening of the New Quarters This Evening.

The new quarters of the Oakland Whist Club in the Central Bank building will be formally opened this evening to the members and their friends. A general invitation has been extended to those interested to be present, when the rooms will be thrown open for inspection. It is expected that there will be a throng of visitors this evening as the club has a large membership composed of many of the most prominent society people of Oakland.

The Annual Meeting.

The stockholders of the California Bank held their annual meeting January 19th at the bank building on Twelfth and Washington streets.

The report of President Jacob Greenhood showed a large increase in business. The number of directors was increased from seven to nine.

The old board, composed of A. C. Henry, John W. Phillips, Victor H. Metcalf, Jacob Greenhood, S. M. Babbitt, Anson Barstow and Charles Jurgens, was re-elected.

The new members are W. W. Whitman and C. L. Maxwell.

President Greenhood and Cashier Brooks were re-elected.

Christian Endeavor Meeting.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Christian Endeavorers of Alameda county will be held tomorrow evening at the First Congregational Church to consider several matters of interest.

The Floating Christian Endeavorers will celebrate their third anniversary this evening at the Second Congregational Church, West Oakland.

The Charity Woodyard.

The Associated Charities' woodyard was opened yesterday at Telegraph avenue and Twentieth street, under the management of H. E. Robbins. Orders may be telephoned to the yard, No. 691, or the office of the association, No. 294. The yard is open from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m., the office from 10 to 12 m. and 3 to 5 p. m.

Pacific Astronomers.

The next regular meeting of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific will be held in the California Academy of Sciences building next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. A number of interesting papers will be read, among which will be one on the "Sun's Motion in Space," by W. H. L. Monck.

Married in the East.

Miss H. E. Hughes of this city, who has been visiting in the East for the past two years, was recently married to Joseph C. Dawson, a prominent young business man of Philadelphia.

The Series Complete.

The remaining numbers of "Glimpses of America" have arrived and are now ready for delivery at the TRIBUNE office. Parties having incomplete sets should make application for missing numbers at once.

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Yesterday morning's Central Pacific overland train did not arrive here until after 6 o'clock last evening, owing to the snow in the mountains.

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MALE—John Hamilton, 4 years; Alfred Ruiz, 4 years; Fred Ewing, 1 year; Alvin Shade, 7 years; Carroll Shade, 6 years; Charles Todd, 8 years; George Miller, 2 years.

Ladies' Relief Society—Children to Be Advertised in January.

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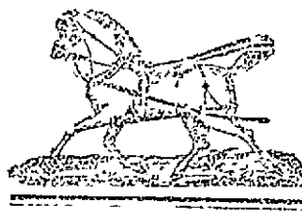

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CURIOSITY.

It Has Brought Salvation to Some Men.

Dr. Coyle Finds Converts at His Meetings.

The Services at the Presbyterian Church Well Attended.

At no time during the series of meetings being held in the First Presbyterian Church has there been such an attendance as on last evening. The chapel was completely packed below, and the gallery was well filled, a few going away because they did not get good seats.

The service was led by Rev. Dr. Coyle, who, after a short praise service, read Luke xix 1-10—the story of Zaccheus, the publican of Jericho, who, being small of stature, climbed the tree to see Jesus as he was passing by, but whom Jesus spied and told him to come down quickly for he must abide at his house. At the conclusion of the reading the preacher said that the last verse read, "For the Son of man is come to seek and save that which was lost," was the summing up of it all, the bright jewel of the setting. It was the same that spoke to the woman at the well of Samaria and healed her; to the poor leper and cleansed so that he was pure and white as snow; that healed the blind and gave them sight.

Saving souls is his business. It is always pleasant to watch the man who understands his business. If there is not truth in the story it is not worth the wasting of the ink. The same of the lost piece of silver, of the lost sheep. The lost wanderer belongs to God, and he ought to return to him. If any were in the room who had wandered away, he urged them to return without delay.

Zaccheus was lost in sin. He was a collector of taxes—a publican. In this business he was considered a traitor and a renegade to his race. He was the manager or chief of the tax collectors and all the more hated. He was pre-eminently a hard case, and for this cause the incident is recorded. Jesus came where Zaccheus was. He entered his town of Jericho. He passed down the street where Zaccheus lived and by the tree which the little man climbed. He goes where the sinner is, "and," continued the preacher, "he is here tonight ready to save any poor soul, as he was Zaccheus."

This little man Zaccheus wanted to see Jesus—who he was not to be saved. He wanted to see him out of mere curiosity. He had heard about the wonderful man. Just as many of those present wanted to see General Booth when here. But Zaccheus was saved by his curiosity.

Here Dr. Coyle related an incident of Lorimer, the actor, who went to an evangelistic meeting out of curiosity, became converted and is now Dr. Lorimer, the pastor of the great Baptist Tabernacle in Boston. He said the same was the case of Saul of Tarsus, who heard the great sermon of Stephen, the martyr.

Curiosity led to the downfall of the Garden of Eden. The curiosity of Eve led her to eat of the forbidden fruit and the expulsion from the garden. Curiosity now often leads to the downfall of many, but God often takes the stick of Satan to break his back.

With Zaccheus there were many difficulties in the way. There was the crowd. He could imagine the cries and the taunts of the crowd at this despised little man. His size was against him. If he had been a brawny man the crowd might have respected his strength. But being a small man and despised on account of his calling must have made it difficult. A Roman out and out would not have been despised half as much. Nowadays, people find many difficulties in the way of coming to Jesus. There is always the crowd and there is the cross. "Many of you," said the doctor, "are afraid of the crowd. You are afraid of your fellowmen. Let me ask you what will the crowd be able to do for you in that day?"

Zaccheus met all the difficulties. He ran, little as he was. He climbed up the tree like a boy. He was laughed at and jeered by the crowd, but he was not to be laughed out of it. "I like that," said the speaker. Professor Samuel B. F. Morse was laughed at and ridiculed when he first attempted to interest men in his telegraph, but he persevered and conquered. They laughed at Disraeli when he made his first speech in the Commons, but the time came when he was Prime Minister of Great Britain. They laughed at Dwight L. Moody when he started to preach on the streets and highways, but they do not now. They laughed at Jesus Christ and jeered and taunted him as he went to the cross. But nature triumphed and tonight Jesus is King eternal.

Zaccheus was in earnest. He was not to be deterred from seeing Jesus by any difficulties or hindrances. There are many hindrances today, but let us grapple with them like men. "I have said Jesus came where Zaccheus was, but it is equally true that Zaccheus went where Jesus was, and we know what the result was. Christ said when he looked up at him: 'Zaccheus, make haste and come down,' and he did so. Jesus went home with him and the crowd murmured and said: 'He was gone to be the guest with a man that was a sinner.' He did not chide Zaccheus for his sins, his robbery or extortionate gathering of money that did not rightfully belong to him, but he treated him with kindness and Zaccheus broke down completely, probably while they were reclining at table while partaking of the meal, and stood up and said: 'Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I will give to the poor now; and if I have taken anything from any man by false accusation, I will restore him fourfold.'

"Zaccheus might have remained in the tree, for it was a good place to see. There are many today who have the curiosity, they go to see and hear. But Zaccheus came down. He was completely and instantly converted. He went to the tree a sinner and came down a saved man. Salvation came to him in a moment, and, blessed be God, that is the way it will come to those who will accept. 'There was a light, and a new life came to Zaccheus,' and the same may come to every one in the room."

The discourse closed with a strong appeal to the unsaved present. Several rose while the Christians were standing and signified their desire to be Christians. At the close of the meeting a large number appeared before the session in the pastor's study.

With the exception of Saturday, the meetings will continue until Thursday of next week. Rev. Campbell Coyle will lead the meeting this evening.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

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WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, 81½@82½c; choice to fancy, 83¾c; good to choice White Milling, 87½@82½c; Walla Walla, fair to good, 7.@80c; Blue stem, 85c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No. 1 92½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10; surprise, $1 0.@1 15; Milling, $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black, $1 15@1 30; Gray, 92½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 10@1 17½.

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HAY — Wheat, $9@11 50; Alfalfa, $8@9; Wheat and Oat, $9@11. Tame Oat, $9@11; Barley, $8 50@10; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@11.

STRAW—70@80c ₱ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUITS — Bananas, bch, $1 25@2; Apples bx, ordinary, 35@50c; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears box, common, 50@75c. Mexican Limes, $4 00@5. Lemons, California, common, $1 50@2 50, fancy $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $3 50@4 00; Pineapples, dozen, $2@$6, common $ @2; Persimmons, box 25@50c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 75 @3 75, Seedlings, $1@1 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 60@75c; Garlic, lb, 2@4c; Cabbage, ctl, 60@90c, Cauliflower, 60c, 30@ 0c; Parsnips, sk, 90c@$1 25; Turnips, 40c@ 60c; Carrots, 30@50c; Tomatoes, bx, 75c@$1 25; Celery, doz, 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 5@ 7c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 5@10c; String Beans 12½@15c; Mushrooms 14@15c; Rhubarb, bx, 60c@$1; Asparagus, lb, 17½@25c; Cucumbers, doz, $1@1 50.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 30@45c; River Reds, 30@45c; Burbanks, River, 40c@45c; Oregon, 50@55c; Salinas, 75c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@75c; New Potatoes, lb, 1½@2c

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 50@65c ₱ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ₱ lb, sun dried, 4½ @5½c evaporated, 5½@7½c; Apricots, bleached, 6@7½c. Moorpark, 8@9½c, sun dried, 5½@7c Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 6@7½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5 @ 7½c; Plums pitted, 4 @ 5c, do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ₱ lb 50 to 60, 5½c; 60 to 70, 5c 70 to 80, 4½c, 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c; boxes, 5@5½c; ungraded, 2@4c; Pears, sliced, 10@c; quartered, 4@6c; Figs, Smyrna, ₱ lb, 10@12c; California, boxes, 75c@$1; sks, 2@2½c ₱ lb.

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BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ₱ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 17@18c; choice, 15@16c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 12@15c; Irwin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 15@17c, creamery in tubs, 17@19c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, doz, 27@ 29c; store, 22@23c; Eastern, 22@24c; Duck Eggs, nominal

CHEESE—Mild, new, ₱ lb, 8@9c; California Young America choice to fancy, 8@ 0c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $4 00@4 50; young, $5 00@6 00, fryers, $4 00@4 50; broilers, large, $4@5; small, $3 00@4 00; Hens, dozen, $4 @5 00. Ducks, old, $4@5 00, young, $5 00@6 50; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@ 10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 11@13c. Geese, pair, $1 00@ 2; Goslings, $1 50@1 75, Pigeons, doz, 1 00@ 1 75; old, $1 2 @1 50.

GAME—Quail, $1 25@1 50 ₱ doz; Duck—Teal, $1 75@2; Mallard, $3 00@5; Canvasback $3@4, Spring, $2@3; Widgeon $1 50@1 75; small duck $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese — Gray, $2 00@3; White $1 00@1 25, Hare, 75c@$1, Rabbits $1 25 @1 50; snipe, common, $1 25@1 50, do English, $2 50@3.

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MUTTON—Wethers, 5½@6c; Ewes, 4½@5c ₱ lb.

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LEAVE.	FROM NOV. 15, 1894.	ARRIVE.
7:30 A	Atlantic Express for Ogden and East	6:10 A
7:30 A	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis	6:15 P
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*9:30 A	Petaluma and Milton	*6:32 P
10:27	"Sunset Limited"—Every Thursday; solid vestibule through train, San Francisco and New Orleans	10:45 P
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4:28 P	Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	9:50 A
4:30 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:20 A
4:58 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno	6:52 P
5:33 P	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East	9:20 A
§7:30 P	Vallejo	§7:20 P
7:30 P	Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:20 A

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8:15 A.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz, Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations	6:14 P.
*2.15 P.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:14 A
4:15 P.	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 A
§11:45 P.	(Hunters train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations.)	7:55

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CURIOSITY.

It Has Brought Salvation to Some Men.

Dr. Coyle Finds Converts at His Meetings.

The Services at the Presbyterian Church Well Attended.

At no time during the series of meetings being held in the First Presbyterian Church has there been such an attendance as on last evening. The chapel was completely packed below, and the gallery was well filled, a few going away because they did not get good seats.

The service was led by Rev. Dr. Coyle, who, after a short praise service, read Luke xix 1-10—the story of Zaccheus, the publican of Jericho, who, being small of stature, climbed the tree to see Jesus as he was passing by, but whom Jesus spied and told him to come down quickly for he must abide at his house. At the conclusion of the reading the preacher said that the last verse read, "For the Son of man is come to seek and save that which was lost," was the summing up of it all, the bright jewel of the setting. It was the same that spoke to the woman at the well of Samaria and healed her; to the poor leper and cleansed so that he was pure and white as snow; that healed the blind and gave them sight.

Saving souls is his business. It is always pleasant to watch the man who understands his business. If there is not truth in the story it is not worth the wasting of the ink. The same of the lost piece of silver, of the lost sheep. The lost wanderer belongs to God, and he ought to return to him. If any were in the room who had wandered away, he urged them to return without delay.

Zaccheus was lost in sin. He was a collector of taxes—a publican. In this business he was considered a traitor and a renegade to his race. He was the manager or chief of the tax collectors and all the more hated. He was pre-eminently a hard case, and for this cause the incident is recorded. Jesus came where Zaccheus was. He entered his town of Jericho. He passed down the street where Zaccheus lived and by the tree which the little man climbed. He goes where the sinner is, "and," continued the preacher, "he is here tonight ready to save any poor soul, as he was Zaccheus."

This little man Zaccheus wanted to see Jesus—who he was not to be saved. He wanted to see him out of mere curiosity. He had heard about the wonderful man. Just as many of those present wanted to see General Booth when here. But Zaccheus was saved by his curiosity.

Here Dr. Coyle related an incident of Lorimer, the actor, who went to an evangelistic meeting out of curiosity, became converted and is now Dr. Lorimer, the pastor of the great Baptist Tabernacle in Boston. He said the same was the case of Saul of Tarsus, who heard the great sermon of Stephen, the martyr.

Curiosity led to the downfall of the Garden of Eden. The curiosity of Eve led her to eat of the forbidden fruit and the expulsion from the garden. Curiosity now often leads to the downfall of many, but God often takes the stick of Satan to break his back.

With Zaccheus there were many difficulties in the way. There was the crowd. He could imagine the cries and the taunts of the crowd at this despised little man. His size was against him. If he had been a brawny man the crowd might have respected his strength. But being a small man and despised on account of his calling must have made it difficult. A Roman out and out would not have been despised half so much. Nowadays, people find many difficulties in the way of coming to Jesus. There is always the crowd and there is the cross. "Many of you," said the doctor, "are afraid of the crowd. You are afraid of your fellowmen. Let me ask you what will the crowd be able to do for you in that day?"

Zaccheus met all the difficulties. He ran, little as he was. He climbed up the tree like a boy. He was laughed at and jeered by the crowd, but he was not to be laughed out of it. "I like that," said the speaker. Professor Samuel B. F. Morse was laughed at and ridiculed when he first attempted to interest men in his telegraph, but he persevered and conquered. They laughed at Disraeli when he made his first speech in the Commons, but the time came when he was Prime Minister of Great Britain. They laughed at Dwight L. Moody when he started to preach on the streets and highways, but they do not now. They laughed at Jesus Christ and jeered and taunted him as he went to the cross. But nature triumphed and tonight Jesus is king eternal.

Zaccheus was in earnest. He was not to be deterred from seeing Jesus by any difficulties or hindrances. There are many hindrances today, but let us grapple with them like men. "I have said Jesus came where Zaccheus was, but it is equally true that Zaccheus went where Jesus was, and we know what the result was. Christ said when he looked up at him: 'Zaccheus, make haste and come down,' and he did so. Jesus went home with him and the crowd murmured and said: 'He was gone to be the guest with a man that was a sinner.' He did not chide Zaccheus for his sins, his robbery or extortionate gathering of money that did not rightfully belong to him, but he treated him with kindness and Zaccheus broke down completely, probably while they were reclining at table while partaking of the meal, and stood up and said: 'Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I will give to the poor now; and if I have taken anything from any man by false accusation, I will restore him fourfold.'

"Zaccheus might have remained in the tree, for it was a good place to see. There are many today who have the curiosity, they go to see and hear. But Zaccheus came down. He was completely and instantly converted. He went to the tree a sinner and came down a saved man. Salvation came to him in a moment, and, blessed be God, that is the way it will come to those who will accept. 'There was a light, and a new life came to Zaccheus,' and the same may come to every one in the room."

The discourse closed with a strong appeal to the unsaved present. Several rose while the Christians were standing and signified their desire to be Christians. At the close of the meeting a large number appeared before the session in the pastor's study.

With the exception of Saturday, the meetings will continue until Thursday of next week. Rev. Campbell Coyle will lead the meeting this evening.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Cereals.

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 50 ₩ bbl; Superfine, $2 00@2 25; Bakers' extra $3 50@3 40.

WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, 81½@82½c; choice to fancy, 83¾c; good to choice White Milling, 87½@92½c; Walla Walla, fair to good, 75@80c; Blue Stem, 85c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No. 1 92½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10; Surprise, $1 00@1 15; Milling, $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black, $1 15@1 30; Gray, 93½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 10@1 17½.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 75@77½c; No 1 Feed, 78½@80c; extra choice 81½c; Brewing 85@92½c.

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 22½ @ 1 27½; Large yellow, $1 20 @ 1 25; White, $1 22½@1 27½.

RYE—87½@92½c ₩ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, $17@18 50 ₩ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ₩ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50; extra choice, $18@18 50.

BUCKWHEAT—85@90c ₩ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$18@18 50 ₩ ton.

HOP—5@8c ₩ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 10 @ 2 40; Small White, $2 10@2 40; Pea and Tree Beans, $2@2 00; Butter, $1 75@1 90; Lima, $4 10@4 25; Red, $1 65; Pink, $1 10@1 35; Bayou, $1 75@1 90; Black-eyed Beans, $2 75@3 00; Red Kidneys, $2 75@3 ₩ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ₩ ctl, $3 40@3 50; native, $1 75@2; Canary, 3@4c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp, 3¾@4½c; Flax, 3c@3½c; Rape, 1½@2½c; Timothy, 5½@6½c; Alfalfa, 7@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $9@12 50; Clover, $9@10; Wild Oat, $8 50@10 50; Alfalfa, $8@9; Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Tame Oat, $9@11; Barley, $8 50@10; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@11.

STRAW—70@80c ₩ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRUITS — Bananas, bch, $1 25@2; Apples bx, ordinary, 35@60c; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears box, common, 50@75c; Mexican limes, $4 50@5; Lemons, California, common, $1 50@2 50; fancy, $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $3 50@4 50; Pineapples, dozen, $2@4; common $1@2; Persimmons, box, 25@50c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $1 75@2 75; Seedlings, $1@1 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 60@75c; Garlic, lb, 5@6c; Cabbage, ctl, 80@40c; Cauliflower, doz, 30@50c; Parsnips, sk, 90@$1 25; Turnips, 40c@$1c; Carrots, 30@50c; Tomatoes, bx, 75@$1 25; Celery, doz, 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 50@75c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 5@10c; String Beans 12½@10c; Mushrooms, 6@15c; Rhubarb, bx, 60@$1; Asparagus, lb, 17½@25c; Cucumbers, doz, $1@1 50.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 30@45c; River Reds, 30@35 c; Burbanks, River, 50@60c; Oregon, 50@55c; Salinas, 75c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@75c; New Potatoes, lb, 1½@2c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 50@85c ₩ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

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Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ₩ lb, 21@23c; fancy dairy, 17@18c; choice, 15@16c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 12@15c; drain, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 13@17c; creamery in tubs, 17@18c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 27@29c; store, 22@23c; Eastern, 22@23c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ₩ lb, 8@9c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@ 0c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $4 00@4 50; young, $5 00@6 00; fryers, $4 00@4 50; broilers, large, $4@5; small, $3 00@4 00; Hens, dozen, $4@5 00; Ducks, old, $3@4 00; young, $3 00@5 50; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@10c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 11@13c; Geese, pair, $1 50@2; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, 1 50@1 75; old, $1 25@1 50.

GAME—Quail, $1 25@1 50 ₩ doz; Duck—Teal, $1 75@2; Mallard, $3 50@4; Canvasback, $3@4, Sprig, $2@4; Widgeon, $1 50@1 75; small duck $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese — Gray, $2 50@3; White $1 00@1 25; Hare, 75c@$1; Rabbits $1 25@1 50; Snipe, common, $1 25@1 50; do English, $2 50@3.

San Francisco Meat Market.

Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

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7:35 A	Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:50 P
9:00 A	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff	3:45 P
9:30 A	New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	5:10 P
9:30 A	Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	10:10 A
9:30A	Martinez and Stockton	10:10 A
*9:30 A	Peters and Milton	*6:52 P
†10:27	"Sunset Limited"—Every Thursday; solid vestibule through train, San Francisco and New Orleans	†8:45 P
1:25 P	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	*9:15 A †11:15 A
4:28 P	Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	8:50 A
4:32 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:20 A
4:58 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno	6:52 P
5:33 P	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East	9:20 A
§7:30 P 7:00 P	Vallejo Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Roseburg, Portland, Puget Sound and East	§7:20 P 10:20 A

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8:15 A.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz, Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations	6:14 P.
*2:15 P.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:14
4:15 P.	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:41 A
§11:45 P.	Hunters' train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations	§7:55

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A Ramble Through the Great Fort.

Some of the Characteristics of Its Inhabitants.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

GIBRALTAR, December 21, 1894.

In my last I tried to interest you with a few notes of our journey crossing the Atlantic and ending at Gibraltar. I will continue them, commencing at Gibraltar. The three days spent here afforded us interest and pleasure. We lost no time in our search and, I believe, gathered more from sightseeing than could possibly be gained from books.

THE PEOPLE OF GIBRALTAR.

I do not pretend to question the propriety of the English occupying this great *Rock*—in area, say two square miles, and in altitude, 1000 feet abrupt on all sides. Whatever the motive may be, every unprejudiced person must admit it to be a model territory for cleanliness, order and system, and when one considers the cosmopolitan character of its inhabitants, greater is one's admiration of the executive ability exhibited. Two-thirds of the population is composed of Spaniards, and from conversation with the intelligent Spaniards I gather, no love is lost between them and the English. This fact, however, is generally known to the English, yet they accord to them equal rights enjoyed by all English subjects. If I could be heard, the Spaniards would soon give way and English men and women would alone enjoy the opportunities to do business and the profits derived therefrom.

The Spaniard is a lurking foe in the camp, yet every evidence is seen in the mingling of nationalities of perfect order. Nowhere does the eye encounter discordant elements. The streets are scrupulously clean. The buildings are substantial and well-preserved. People move about in an orderly way, mingling with the soldiers, 6000 strong, making it a very picturesque sight. Especially is the effect more pleasing when the Moors and Arabs are a part of the throng.

THE ENGLISH SOLDIERS.

Every day, regiment after regiment parade the streets on their way to the parade grounds and for drill, marching to the strains of music issuing from bands of fifty pieces and over. The movement of each soldier is as perfect as a piece of delicate machinery, the footfalls marking time as regularly as the ticking of a clock; the body and head erect and the eye steady, having one object only in sight. It is a glorious sight and one never to be forgotten. I do not wonder at the pride always shown by English people for their army and navy. I feel like patting each soldier on the back, saying "Well done, my good fellow." I wish we could point to our American soldier in the ranks with the same enthusiasm. I am at a loss to understand why the English officer fails to impress one as equally deserving. They look and act as if they owned the world and a large share of the world unknown. Our "West Pointer" in deportment, neatness and style of action can discount the English officer and give him "spades and cards."

INSIDE THE ROCK.

We spent a day inside the "Rock of Gibraltar," which was to me like inspecting the underground workings of a mine. I failed to find the vein or lode, or the *color*, but the drill marks, made by convict and prison labor during the period of over one hundred years, are numberless.

While the fortifications outside of the Rock are as perfect and complete as an experienced eye can judge, I am led to think that the masked batteries and those inside are the main strength of this great stronghold or fort. Of the *real defenses* few ever have seen them, I am told. The tunnel, starting from the base of the perpendicular cliff, is in size about ten by ten feet and rises about eighteen inches in every six feet advanced, following the contour of the cliff nearly to the summit of the Rock, and back from the face about thirty feet; about every hundred yards, cross cuts are made to the face and chambered out sufficiently large to hold a gun ten feet long, with room to operate it. The hole at the face of the rock is quite small, but large enough to see the object to be destroyed. When this is demanded, shot and shell can be thrown from these little light holes with deadly effect.

GUN PRACTICE.

Looking up from the outside, hundreds of these seemingly harmless openings are to be seen. From one of these we had an opportunity to see some good target practice. A launch, towed by a steamer, at a speed of four miles per hour, passed about one mile out at sea and was the object of attack. Cannon balls dropped around it, throwing volumes of water to the height of 100 feet and but a few feet from the launch. An officer told us it was not the purpose to hit the launch, but to come as near to it as possible. In that case the gunner did well.

A BONE OF CONTENTION.

The "throwing up" of this great "Rock of Gibraltar," nearly two miles from the mainland, and only connected to it by a narrow strip of lowland, has given endless trouble to the various nations of Europe and Africa, and more than any other known extent of country, and to me without compensating for it all. Some future day the wrath of the old man below may be aroused and down it will come to its former level.

SMUGGLING INTO SPAIN.

We made a short trip into Spain, only two miles, crossing the neutral belt, to see how the Spaniard did things in his own country. He is not much in advance of the Moors and Arabs. The chief occupation of the people is to grow vegetables, raise turkeys, geese, chickens and eggs for the people of Gibraltar, driving them across the neutral line packed upon the backs of donkeys or on foot. Dogs, too, perform good service. These products are sold and the proceeds are invested in American tobacco. The tobacco is tied around the necks of dogs and under the wings of unsold turkeys and geese, and so well trained are these animals that they avoid contact with the soldier on guard on the Spanish side and cunningly slip through the lines, defrauding the Government of duties, which are very high. Protective tariff runs high here. Gibraltar is a free port. I am afraid the Spaniard is of no earthly use but to steal and cheat; experience tells me this.

CUSTODIAN OF THE CITY KEYS.

St. Peter, who holds the keys to the gates of Gibraltar, can be seen at sunrise and sunset on his way (guarded by a file of soldiers) to open or shut the gates. After that is done the Spaniard must remain inside or outside, as the case may be, and the sentinel's eye is relieved from the duty of watching the rascal, as he generally tries to get home at night. J. P.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, January 24th.

Jennie W. Lapping, formerly Eaton, to Carl Latzke, lot on south line of Alameda avenue, 300 feet west from Oak street, west 25 by south 150, portion of lot 16, block D, lands adjacent to Encinal, Alameda; $10.

Elma C. Farnham to Wilson M. Hunt, lot on east line of Park street (as it now exists), 25 feet north from the point where the south line of lots 31 and 32 of Alameda Park intersects the east line of Park street, which point of beginning is also distant 160.09½ south from southeast corner of Central avenue and Park street, thence from point of beginning north 4 inches to south line of brick building on lands of first party, thence east 109.11¼ to a point in east line of lot 31 distant 25.4 north from southeast corner thereof, thence south 4 inches, west 109.11¼, to beginning, reserving to first party the right to maintain the foundation of said brick wall as it now exists, Alameda; $10.

Isabella A. and William Taylor to Bernhard Joost, lot on south line of Encinal avenue (as widened to 80 feet), 100 feet west from Willow street, west 50 by south 140, being lot 12, less a strip of 10 feet taken for widening Encinal avenue, in east ½, block G, Pioneer Homestead Association, Alameda; $10.

Henry H. and Annie Strang to Philip Kolb, lot on southeast corner of Ray and Main streets, east 200 by south 185, being portion of plot 3, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, town of Pleasanton, Murray township; $10.

Margery Walker to William T. Walker, undivided ½ interest of southeast ¼ of section 30, township 3 south, range 3 east, Murray township; gift.

William T. Walker to Delia J. Walker, 80 acres, being the undivided ½ interest in southeast ¼ of section 30, township 3 south, range 3 east, Murray township; gift.

Charles Clark, by William Clark, attorney, to R. L. Jones, lots 45 to 47 and 48 to 50, block D, Beulah Park tract, East Oakland; $10.

Jeremiah Yeager to Mary O'Connell, lot on north line of East Ninth street, 175 feet east from Twenty-eighth avenue, east 50 by north 100, being lots 16 and 17, block 4, Knowles and Potter subdivision of Kennedy tract, East Oakland; $10.

E. A. Heron to Alameda County, lot on south line of Monte Vista avenue, at intersection with southwest line Linda Vista Terrace, thence northeast 69.02 feet by southeast 5, for street purposes, Oakland; grant.

L. G. Crossley to Sarah A. McKee, lot on northeast corner of Mariposa and Grove streets, north 45 feet by east 120, being lot 6, block 3, McKee tract, Oakland township; $10.

G. H. and Julia Baker to G. G. Baker, lot 25, block 1, resubdivision Roberts & Wolfskill tract, Oakland township; $10.

George G. and as attorney, and Frances C. Baker by attorney, to Frank Reeves, lots 24 and 25, block 1, resubdivision of portion of same, Oakland township; $10.

F. Reichling to William P. Todd, 100 of an acre, beginning at the most northerly corner of lands of F. Reichling, thence southeast 22 links, southwest 4.68 chains, northwest 19 links, northeast 4.51 chains to beginning, Oakland township; $10.

G. H. and Julia Baker to George G. Baker, undivided ½ interest in lot on west line of Baker street, 107.54 feet north from Wilder street, north 40, west 112.78, south 40, east 110.33 to beginning, being lot 19, Mountain View tract, being a portion of Dohr tract, Berkeley; $5.

Charles H. Shinn, William A. Mabel, W. and Henry M. Beatty, by Sheriff (Robert McKillican, Sheriff), to Home Security Building and Loan Association, lot on north line of Channing way, 250 feet east from Bowditch street, east 50 by north 130, being subdivision F of lot 2, block 9, College Homestead, Berkeley; $2147.

Frank Smith and Mattie McHarry, by Sheriff (Robert McKillican, Sheriff), to Jane Stone, lot on east line of Fifth street, 66 feet south from Addison, south 31 by east 91, being portion of lots 1 and 2, block 106, Saturno tract, Berkeley; $1251.

F. K. and Rosa M. Shattuck to H. L. Whitney, A. F. Eldridge, Byron Underwood, C. L. Wood, J. T. Farrar, Charles W. Woodworth and James Sharp, Trustees First Baptist Church of Berkeley, lot on south line of Dwight way, 216.91 feet west of Shattuck avenue, west 50, south 129.65, east 50, north 129.65 to beginning, being portion plot 58, Rancho V. and D. Peralta, Berkeley; $1.

Lewis T. and A. D. Higgins, James and Margaret F. Sharp, Lewis T. Higgins and James Sharp, trustees of First Baptist Church of Berkeley, to same, lot on south line of Dwight way, 216.91 feet west of Shattuck avenue, west 50 by south 129.65, being portion plot 68, same, Berkeley, trust deed; $1.

George T. and Adelia S. Hawley and Edna S. Poulson to Hans Peterson, lot 23, block B, Buenaventura tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

James S. and Joseph Warner to Rudolph W. Mencke, lot on east line of Peach street, 198.54 feet north from Bay View avenue, north 50 by east 150, lot 51, resubdivision block 31, Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

W. A. and Mary F. Gridlin to J. L. Gould, lot on south line of Encinal avenue, 197 feet west from Lafayette street, west 49 by south 145, being lot 5 and north ½ feet lot 16, block 8, amended map, Bartlett tract, Alameda; $10.

Brainard N. and Mary E. Rowley to same, lot on south line of Encinal avenue, 197 feet east from Union street, east 49 by south 145, being lot 6 and north ½ feet lot 16, block 8, amended map, same, Alameda; $10.

Marcus Halverson to Joseph F., Edwin Y. and Maria E. Peralta, lot on north line of Williams street, 289.18 feet east from Orchard, east 50 by north 150, being the east 50 feet lot 12, block 2, resubdivision Ward's addition to San Leandro; $250.

Manuel S. Cardoza to Jose V. Pacheco, piece of land containing 10 acres, beginning in middle of county road from Haywards to Niles, at southeast corner lands of Culp, thence northeast 8.03 chains, southwest 62 links, northwest 1.50 chains, northwest 1.01 chains, northwest 1.33 chains, northwest 39 links, southwest 13.12 chains, southeast 11.49 chains, northeast 4 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

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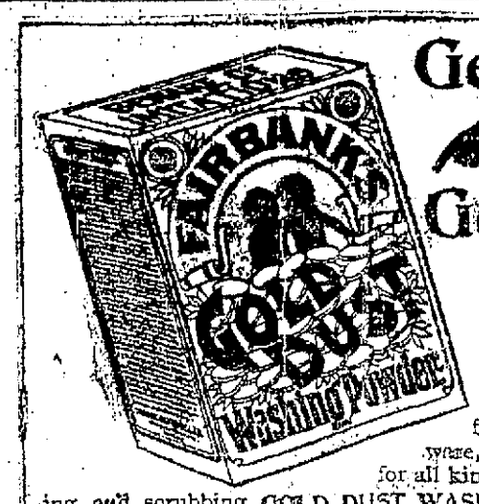

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of THOMAS KILEY, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Thomas Kiley, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the residence of Henry C. Mulflke, No. 1274 Franklin street, Oakland, California, which said residence the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Thomas Kiley, deceased.

PHILIP E. KILEY,

Administrator of the estate of Thomas Kiley, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 16, 1895.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of PHIDELIA WATSON, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executor of the last will of Phidelia Watson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor, at his office in Fruit Vale, adjoining Fruit Vale station, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Phidelia Watson, deceased.

A. G. SNITSINGER,

Executor of the last will of Phidelia Watson, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 27, 1894.

WM. and GEO. LEVISTON, Attorneys for Executor.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John S. Pedersen, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John S. Pedersen deceased, and for the issuance to Martin Koopmann of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 21, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

REED & NUSBAUMER, Attorneys for Petitioner.

LEGAL.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed, all persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story.	Two Stories.	Three Stories and Upward.
1 to 400	$ 65	$ 80	$ 75
401 " 600	80	90	1 00
601 " 700	90	1 00	1 50
701 " 800	1 25	1 40	1 40
801 " 900	1 40	1 60	1 60
901 " 1000	1 60	1 70	1 70
1001 " 1200	1 70	1 80	1 80
1201 " 1400	1 80	1 90	1 90
1401 " 1600	1 90	2 00	2 00
1601 " 1800	2 00	2 10	2 10
1801 " 2000	2 10	2 20	2 20
2001 " 2200	2 20	2 30	2 25
2201 " 2400	2 30	2 35	2 35
2401 " 2600	2 40	2 45	2 45
2601 " 2800	2 50	2 55	2 55
2801 " 3000	2 60	2 65	2 65
3001 " 3200	2 70	2 75	2 70
3201 " 3400	2 80	2 85	2 85
3401 " 3600	2 90	2 95	2 95
3601 " 3800	2 95	3 00	3 00
3801 " 4000	3 00	3 05	3 05

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upward, seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0.08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 05.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

Foundries, places of amusement, bear halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 50 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bathing establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, gas, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $3.00.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 75.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $0 75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 20.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 40.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $0 75.

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (5 mills) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¾ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 50.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 75.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $9 40.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 10.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 20.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 05.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $7 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, and the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be paid on the first day of each calendar month, and at water rates. All the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelonis.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,

Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, state of California.

Attest: JAMES H. CRANE, Clerk of Board.

By T. M. CRAWFORD, Deputy Clerk.

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

L. M. COTTRELL,

vs.

CLARA HARRISON.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court of Oakland Township, County of Alameda, State of California, in the above-entitled action, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, Clara Harrison, of, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Thirty-fifth (35th) avenue and northerly line of Seventh (7th) street, thence northerly along said line of Thirty-fifth (35th) avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles westerly seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southerly one hundred (100) feet to said line of Seventh (7th) street; thence easterly along said line of Seventh (7th) street seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning, being the northerly one hundred (100) feet of lots ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) of block thirty-seven (37), as laid down on the map of Clinton, recorded in the Recorder's office of Alameda County.

Public notice is hereby given that I will on

Saturday, the 9th Day of February, A. D. 1895,

at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the Courthouse door of the County of Alameda, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said Defendant, Clara Harrison, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder.

J. W. GLAZE,

Constable of Brooklyn Township.

Dated Oakland, January 22, 1895.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE City and County of San Francisco, State of California—Department 9, Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Essie Lawler, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, in the matter of the estate of Essie Lawler, deceased, the undersigned, the executor of said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1895, at the office of Delmas & Shortridge, Rooms 23 to 26, Third floor, Crocker Building, San Francisco, California, attorneys for said executor, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Essie Lawler at the time of her death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since her death, in and to all the certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated and being in the county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

First—An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the town of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Central or Washington avenue, distant one hundred and ninety (190) feet easterly from the eastern line of First or West End avenue, and running thence easterly along said line of Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet four (4) inches; thence westerly parallel with Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet and four (4) inches to the place of beginning.

Second—An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Lot number nineteen (19), according to a certain map of the Pacific Theological Seminary tract, dated Oakland, December 22, 1876, filed in the office of the County Recorder of said county of Alameda, on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1877.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash, lawful money of the United States; ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the undersigned on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by said court.

Deed at the expense of purchaser.

THOMAS W. BETHELL,

Executor of the estate of Essie Lawler, deceased.

Dated, January 16, 1895.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE City and County of San Francisco, State of California—Probate, Department No. 9.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of John G. Lawler, Francis E. Lawler, Esther Lawler, William T. Lawler and Gertrudge Lawler, minors.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1895, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of John G. Lawler, Francis E. Lawler, Esther Lawler, William T. Lawler and Gertrudge Lawler, minors, the undersigned, the guardian of the persons and estates of said minors, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1895, at the office of Delmas & Shortridge, Rooms 23 to 26, Third floor, Crocker Building, San Francisco, California, attorneys for said guardian, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said minors, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated and being in the county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

First—An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the town of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Central or Washington avenue, distant one hundred and ninety (190) feet easterly from the eastern line of First or West End avenue, and running thence easterly along said line of Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet four (4) inches; thence westerly parallel with Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet and four (4) inches to the place of beginning.

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Deed at the expense of purchaser.

BELLE TATE,

Guardian of the persons and estates of said minors.

Dated January 16, 1895.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Ramillard Ditch Company will be held at the office of the company, at the corner of Second and Clay streets, Oakland, California, on Monday, the fourth day of February, A. D. 1895, at 9 A. M.

F. H. LAMOUREUX,

Secretary.

GIBRALTAR.

The Key of the Mediterranean Sea.

A Ramble Through the Great Fort.

Some of the Characteristics of Its Inhabitants.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

GIBRALTAR, December 24, 1894.

In my last I tried to interest you with a few notes of our journey crossing the Atlantic and ending at Gibraltar. I will continue them, commencing at Gibraltar. The three days spent here afforded us interest and pleasure. We lost no time in our search and, I believe, gathered more from sightseeing than could possibly be gained from books.

THE PEOPLE OF GIBRALTAR.

I do not pretend to question the propriety of the English occupying this great *Rock*—in area, say two square miles, and in altitude, 1400 feet abrupt on all sides. Whatever the motive may be, every unprejudiced person must admit it to be a model territory for cleanliness, order and system, and when one considers the cosmopolitan character of its inhabitants, greater is one's admiration of the executive ability exhibited. Two thirds of the population is composed of Spaniards, and from conversation with the intelligent Spaniards I gather, no love is lost between them and the English. Justice, however, is generally known to the English yet they accord to them equal rights enjoyed by all English subjects. If I could be heard, the Spaniards would soon give way and English men and women would alone enjoy the opportunities to do business and the profits derived therefrom.

The Spaniard is a lurking foe in the camp, yet every evidence is seen in the mingling of nationalities of perfect order. Nowhere does the eye encounter discordant elements. The streets are scrupulously clean. The buildings are substantial and well-preserved. People move about in an orderly way, mingling with the soldiers, 6000 strong, making it a very picturesque sight. Especially is the effect more pleasing when the Moors and Arabs are a part of the throng.

THE ENGLISH SOLDIERS.

Every day, regiment after regiment parade the streets on their way to the parade grounds and for drill, marching to the strains of music issuing from bands of fifty pieces and over. The movement of each soldier is as perfect as a piece of delicate machinery, the footfalls marking time as regularly as the ticking of a clock; the body and head erect and the eye steady, having one object only in sight. It is a glorious sight and one never to be forgotten. I do not wonder at the pride always shown by English people for their army and navy. I feel like patting each soldier on the back, saying "Well done, my good fellow." I wish we could point to our American soldier in the ranks with the same enthusiasm. I am at a loss to understand why the English officer fails to impress one as equally deserving. They look and act as if they owned the world and a large share of the world unknown. Our "West Pointer" in deportment, neatness and style of action can discount the English officer and give him 'spades and cards.''

INSIDE THE ROCK.

We spent a day inside the "Rock of Gibraltar," which was to me like inspecting the underground workings of a mine. I failed to find the vein or lode, or the *color*, but the drill marks, made by convict and prison labor during the period of over one hundred years, are numberless.

While the fortifications outside of the Rock are as perfect and complete as an experienced eye can judge, I am led to think that the masked batteries and those inside are the main strength of this great stronghold or fort. Of the *real defenses* few ever have seen them, I am told. The tunnel, starting from the base of the perpendicular cliff, is in size about ten by ten feet and rises about eighteen inches in every six feet advanced, following the contour of the cliff nearly to the summit of the Rock, and back from the face about thirty feet, about every hundred yards, cross cuts are made to the face and chambered out sufficiently large to hold a gun ten feet long, with room to operate it. The hole at the face of the rock is quite small, but large enough to see the object to be destroyed. When this is demanded, shot and shell can be thrown from these little light holes with deadly effect.

GUN PRACTICE.

Looking up from the outside, hundreds of these seemingly harmless openings are to be seen. From one of these we had an opportunity to see some good target practice. A launch, towed by a steamer, at a speed of four miles per hour, passed about one mile out at sea and was the object of attack. Cannon balls dropped around it, throwing volumes of water to the height of 100 feet and but a few feet from the launch. An officer told us it was not the purpose to hit the launch, but to come as near to it as possible. In that case the gunner did well.

A BONE OF CONTENTION.

The "throwing up" of this great "Rock of Gibraltar," nearly two miles from the mainland, and only connected to it by a narrow strip of lowland, has given endless trouble to the various nations of Europe and Africa, and more than any other known extant of country, and to me without compensating for it all. Some future day the wrath of the old man below may be aroused and down it will come to its former level.

SMUGGLING INTO SPAIN.

We made a short trip into Spain, only two miles, crossing the neutral belt, to see how the Spaniard did things in his own country. He is not much in advance of the Moors and Arabs. The chief occupation of the people is to grow vegetables, raise turkeys, geese, chickens and eggs for the people of Gibraltar, driving them across the neutral line packed upon the backs of donkeys or on foot. Dogs, too, perform good service. These products are sold and the proceeds are invested in American tobacco. The tobacco is tied around the necks of dogs and under the wings of unsold turkeys and geese, and so well trained are these animals that they avoid contact with the soldier on guard on the Spanish side and cunningly slip through the lines, defrauding the Government of duties, which are very high. Protective tariff runs high here. Gibraltar is a free port. I am afraid the Spaniard is of no earthly use but to steal and cheat; experience tells me this.

CUSTODIAN OF THE CITY KEYS.

St. Peter, who holds the keys to the gates of Gibraltar, can be seen at sunrise and sunset on his way (guarded by a file of soldiers) to open or shut the gates. After that is done the Spaniard must remain inside or outside, as the case may be, and the sentinel's eye is relieved from the duty of watching the rascal, as he generally tries to get home at night. J. P.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, January 24th.

Jennie W. Lapping, formerly Eaton, to Carl Latzke, lot on south line of Alameda avenue, 300 feet west from Oak street, west 25 by south 150, portion of lot 10, block D, lands adjacent to Encinal, Alameda; $10.

Elma C. Fernham to Wilson M. Hunt, lot on east line of Park street (as it now exists), 25 feet north from the point where the south line of lots 31 and 32 of Alameda Park intersects the east line of Park street, which point of beginning is also distant 116 6/12 south from southeast corner of Central avenue and Park street, thence from point of beginning north 4 inches to south line of brick building on lands of first party, thence east 100 feet 11½ to a point in east line of lot 3 distant 25 feet north from southeast corner thereof, thence south 4 inches, west 100 feet 11½ to beginning, reserving to first party the right to maintain the foundation of said brick wall as it now exists, Alameda; $10.

Isabella A. and William Taylor to Bernhard Joost, lot on south line of Encinal avenue (as widened to 80 feet), 100 feet west from Willow street, west 50 by south 140, being lot 12, less a strip of 10 feet taken for widening Encinal avenue, in east ½ block G, Pioneer Homestead Association, Alameda; $10.

Henry H. and Annie Strang to Philip Kolb, lot on southeast corner of Ray and Main streets, east 200 by south 185, being portion of plot 5, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, town of Pleasanton, Murray township; $10.

Margery Walker to William F. Walker, undivided ½ interest of southeast ¼ of section 30, township 3 south, range 3 east, Murray township; gift.

William F. Walker to Delia J. Walker, 80 acres, being the undivided ½ interest in southeast ¼ of section 30, township 3 south, range 3 east, Murray township; gift.

Charles Clark, by William Clark, attorney, to R. L. Jones, lots 15 to 17 and 48 to 50, block D, Bethlah Park tract, East Oakland; $10.

Jeremiah Yeager to Mary O'Connell, lot on north line of East Ninth street, 175 feet east from Twenty-eighth avenue, east 50 by north 100, being lots 16 and 17, block G, Knowles and Potter subdivision of Kennedy tract, East Oakland; $10.

E. A. Heron to Alameda County, lot on south line of Monte Vista avenue, at intersection with southwest line Linda Vista Terrace, thence northeast 60.02 feet by southeast 9, for street purposes, Oakland grant.

L. G. Crossley to Sarah A. McKee, lot on northeast corner of Mariposa and Grove streets, north 45 feet by east 120, being lot 6, block 3, McKee tract, Oakland township; $10.

G. H. and Julia Baker to G. G. Baker, lot 25, block L, resubdivision Roberts & Wolfskill tract, Oakland township; $10.

George G., and as attorney, and Frances C. Baker by attorney, to Frank Reeves, lots 24 and 25, block L, resubdivision of portion of same, Oakland township; $10.

F. Reichling to William P. Todd, 100 of an acre, beginning at the most northerly corner of lands of F. Reichling, thence southeast 22 links, southwest 1.68 chains, northwest 19 links, northeast 4.51 chains to beginning, Oakland township; $10.

G. H. and Julia Baker to George G. Baker, undivided ½ interest in lot on west line of Baker street, 197.81 feet north from Wilder street, north 40, west 112.58, south 49, east 116.3 to beginning, being lot 19, Mountain View tract, being a portion of Dohr tract, Berkeley; $5.

Charles H. Shinn, William A. Mabel, W. and Henry M. Beatty, by Sheriff (Robert McKillican, Sheriff), to Home Security Building and Loan Association, lot on north line of Channing way, 250 feet east from Bowditch street, east 50 by north 150, being subdivision F of lot 2, block 9, College Homestead, Berkeley; $2147.

Frank Smith and Mattie McHarry, by Sheriff (Robert McKillican, Sheriff), to Jane Stone, lot on east line of Fifth street, 66 feet south from Addison, south 24 by east 91, being portion of lots 1 and 2, block 109, Sisterna tract, Berkeley; $1251.

F. K. and Rosa M. Shattuck to H. L. Whitney, S. F. Eldridge, Byron Underwood, C. L. Wood, J. T. Farrar, Charles W. Woodworth and James Sharp, Trustees First Baptist Church of Berkeley, lot on south line of Dwight way, 216.91 feet west of Shattuck avenue, west 50, south 129.65, east 50, north 129.65 to beginning, being portion plot 58, Rancho V. and D. Peralta, Berkeley; $1.

Lewis T. and A. D. Higgins, James and Margaret F. Sharp, Lewis T. Higgins and James Sharp, trustees of First Baptist Church of Berkeley, to same, lot on south line of Dwight way, 216.91 feet west of Shattuck avenue, west 50 by south 129.65, being portion plot 58, same, Berkeley, trust deed; $1.

George T. and Adelia S. Hawley and Edna S. Poulson to Hans Peterson, lot 24, block B, Buenaventura tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

James S. and Joseph Warner to Rudolph W. Mencke, lot on east line of Peach street, 198.61 feet north from Bay View avenue, north 50 by east 150, lot 51, resubdivision block 31, Warner tract, Brooklyn township, $10.

W. A. and Mary F. Griffin to J. L. Gould, lot on south line of Encinal avenue, 197 feet west from Lafayette street, west 19 by south 115, being lot 5 and north 5 feet lot 16, block 8, amended map, Bartlett tract, Alameda, $10.

Brainard N. and Mary E. Rowley to same, lot on south line of Encinal avenue, 197 feet east from Union street, east 49 by south 115, being lot 6 and north 5 feet lot 15, block 8, amended map, same, Alameda; $10.

Marcus Halverson to Joseph F., Edwin Y. and Maria E. Peralta, lot on north line of Williams street 280.15 feet east from Orchard, east 50 by north 150, being the east 50 feet lot 12, block 2, resubdivision Ward's addition to San Leandro, $250.

Manuel S. Cardoza to Jose V. Pacheco, piece of land containing 10 acres, beginning in middle of county road from Haywards to Niles, at southeast corner lands of Culp, thence northeast 8.10 chains, southwest 62 links, northwest 1.50 chains, northwest 1.01 chains, northwest 1.81 chains, northwest 39 links, southwest 1.12 chains, southeast 11.19 chains, northeast 1 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

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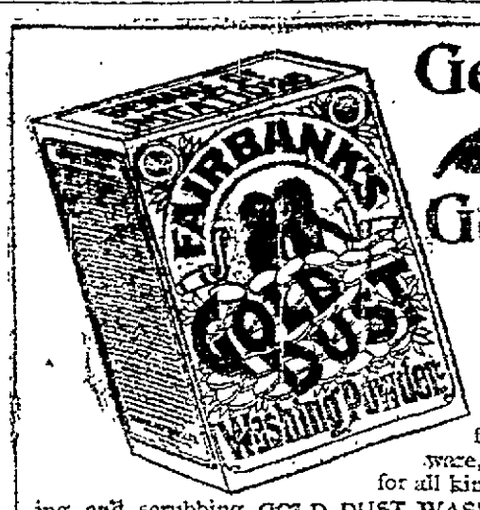

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AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed, all persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story.	Two Stories.	Three Stories and Upwards.
1 to 100	$ 45	$ 60	$ 75
101 " 500	50	80	90
501 " 600	60	90	1 00
601 " 700	70	1 10	1 50
701 " 800	80	1 20	1 75
801 " 900	90	1 40	2 00
901 " 1000	1 00	1 60	2 70
1001 " 1200	1 10	1 80	2 80
1201 " 1400	1 20	1 90	3 00
1401 " 1600	1 40	2 00	3 20
1601 " 1800	1 60	2 20	3 40
1801 " 2000	1 80	2 40	3 60
2001 " 2200	2 00	2 60	3 80
2201 " 2400	2 10	2 80	4 20
2401 " 2600	2 20	3 00	4 40
2601 " 2800	2 30	3 20	4 60
2801 " 3000	2 40	3 40	4 80
3001 " 3200	2 50	3 60	5 00
3201 " 3400	2 60	3 80	5 20
3401 " 3600	2 70	4 00	5 40
3601 " 3800	2 80	4 20	5 60
3801 " 4000	2 90	4 40	5 80

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0 08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, real houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement as estimated, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, malls, manufactories, mills, laundries, or for other purposes not specially named in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $2 50.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling $0 10.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $2 50.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 40.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $0 50.

Each bath tub in barbing establishments and barber shops $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five million cubic feet per square foot per month, payable every month in the year *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, sidewalks, fronts of buildings and stores for the first twenty linear linear feet fronting the street, one cent per linear foot for each additional linear front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¼ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 50.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 50.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 50.

Each cow, $0 10.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 25.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 05.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county or Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for purposes for which rates are fixed by the calendar month, which water rates, or the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a re-adjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz.

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelonze.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,

Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, state of California.

Attest: JAMES L. CRANE, Clerk of Board.

By T. M. CRAWFORD, Deputy Clerk.

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

L. M. COTTRELL,

vs.

CLARA HARRISON.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court of Oakland Township, County of Alameda, State of California, wherein L. M. Cottrell, Plaintiff, and Clara Harrison, Defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 12th day of December, A. D. 1894, for the sum of twenty-nine and 50-100 ($29 50.00) dollars, United States gold coin, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said Defendant, Clara Harrison, of, and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Thirteenth (13th) avenue and northerly line of Eleventh (11th) street; thence northerly along said line of Thirteenth (13th) avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles westerly seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southerly one hundred (100) feet to said line of Eleventh (11th) street; thence easterly along said line of Eleventh (11th) street seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning, being the southerly one hundred (100) feet of lots ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) in block thirty-eight (38), as laid down on the map of Clinton, of record in the Recorder's office of Alameda County.

Public notice is hereby given that I will on

Saturday, the 9th Day of February, A. D. 1895,

at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the Courthouse door of the County of Alameda, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said Defendant, Clara Harrison, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

J. M. GLAZE,

Constable of Brooklyn Township.

Dated Oakland, January 17, 1895.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE City and county of San Francisco, State of California—Department 9, Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Essie Lawler, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, made on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1895, in the matter of the estate of Essie Lawler, deceased, the undersigned, the executor of said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1895, at the office of Delmas & Shortridge, Rooms 28 to 36, Third floor, Crocker Building, San Francisco, California, attorneys for said executor, all the right, title and interest of the said deceased at the time of her death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since her death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated and being in the county of Alameda, state of California, bounded and described as follows:

First. An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the town of Alameda, county of Alameda, state of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Central or Washington avenue, distant one hundred and ninety (190) feet westerly from the eastern line of First or West End avenue, and running thence westerly along said line of Central or Washington avenue, fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet four (4) inches; thence easterly parallel with Central or Washington avenue fifty (50) feet; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet and four (4) inches to the place of beginning.

Second. An undivided one-half interest in a certain lot of land situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Lot number nineteen (19), according to a certain map of the Pacific Theological Seminary tract, dated Oakland, December 22, 1876, filed in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1871.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, lawful money of the United States, 10 per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the undersigned on day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by said court.

Deed at the expense of purchaser.

THOMAS W. BETHELL,

Executor of the estate of Essie Lawler, deceased.

Dated, January 16, 1895.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE City and County of San Francisco, state of California. Probate. Department No. 9.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of John G. Lawler, Francis E. Lawler, Esther Lawler, William T. Lawler and Gertrudge Lawler, minors.

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Deed at the expense of purchaser.

BELLE TATE,

Guardian of the persons and estates of said minors.

Dated January 16, 1895.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Remillard Brick Company will be held at the office of the company, at the corner of Second and Clay streets, Oakland, California, on Monday, the fourth day of February, A. D. 1895, at 9 A. M.

P. H. LAMOUREUX, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of THOMAS KILEY, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Thomas Kiley, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the residence of Henry C. McIlvie, No 1271 Franklin street, Oakland, California, which said residence the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Thomas Kiley, deceased.

PHILIP F. KILEY,

Administrator of the estate of Thomas Kiley, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 16, 1895.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of PHIDELIA WATSON, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executor of the last will of Phidelia Watson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor, at his office in Fruit Vale, adjoining Fruit Vale station, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Phidelia Watson, deceased.

A. G. SNIPSINGER,

Executor of the last will of Phidelia Watson, deceased.

Dated Oakland December 27, 1894.

WM and GEO. LEVISTON, Attorneys for Executor.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John S. Pederson, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

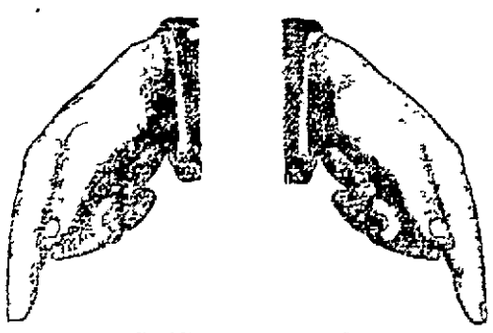
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John S. Pederson, deceased, and for the issuance to Martin Koopmann of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 14, 1895.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

REED & NUSBAUMER, Attorneys for Petitioner.



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THE INSURANCE DEAL.

Some Pointers for the Agents and Managers.

Editor Tribune—We are not surprised to learn that the Pacific Insurance Union has been disrupted and that in future the companies will be guided in their business by the skill, judgment and experience of their several managers.

It is self-evident that the compact was organized and conducted in the interest of certain companies, and when they failed to hold the lead and dictate terms there was kicking, and continued kicking is sure to create bad feeling and bad blood. Now that the compact has disrupted it will stand the underwriters in hand to act with discretion, and thus prove to the public that they are the representatives of legitimate corporations, doing business on business principles, rather than a set of Cheap John bushwhackers, willing to deal out their policies regardless of cost.

We noticed in one of the San Francisco morning papers the picture of a thin, haggard, bushy-whiskered young man who poses as the chap who broke the compact, and who, no doubt, in this boast hopes to reap glory and business, but, if we are not mistaken, this individual was the president of the Pacific Insurance Union for several terms, and while president was a firm advocate of the combine as necessary and desirable, and we are strongly of the impression that his withdrawal was not in the interest of his agents, his policyholders or the public, but simply because he desired to have the cinch pulled tighter on agents and customers, and if he could accomplish his end he would get back into the compact in double quick time.

Fire underwriting is a legitimate business, based on legitimate principles. The rates of premium charged on the several classes of risks have been ascertained through a careful classification of the business, and the results on this coast the past few years prove that the margin of profit has been very small, and hence any sweeping reduction in the present rates would be fatal to the companies and to their policy holders, and certainly it is to be hoped that managers and agents will be guided by square and legitimate principles and keep within the danger mark. The public want legitimate insurance—that style of indemnity which guarantees square, liberal treatment in the event of loss, and all know that if insurance is furnished below cost that when losses occur the company will try and get even in a close and niggardly adjustment.

We had a "war of rates" in this city a few years ago, a most ridiculous exhibition of demoralization on the part of companies, managers and agents, which did not benefit anyone, but, on the other hand, lowered the reputation of those engaged in the business. Let us have no more such boys' play with the capital of others. Issue your policies at rates that you are satisfied cover cost and provide a moderate profit, and if you cannot obtain these rates, let the business go to the bushwhackers. Those who avail themselves of these cheap rates will discover that they made dear investments and the legitimately managed companies will eventually get the business.

The companies that will suffer most by this eruption will be our locals. They are dependent on the coast for the bulk of their revenue and if demoralization rules their revenue will be largely depleted, while their losses will be sure to increase, as history repeats itself that low rates and general demoralization results in a large increase in losses.

There are several Eastern and foreign companies represented by managers of the "compact production." These gentlemen are not underwriters, and unless competent successors can be secured the number of companies now operating on the coast will be largely reduced.

We will watch the movement of the several companies with considerable interest, and if anything of importance transpires you will hear again from REGULATOR.

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A. A. Denison's Lecture.

A. A. Denison delivered a lecture at Palo Alto, today, before Professor Smith's class in charities and corrections on out-door relief in Alameda county.

BE CAREFUL.

Henry Dalton's Advice to the Voters.

The Board of Works Again Arraigned.

Reasons Why the Amendments Should Be Adopted.

Editor Tribune—Two members of the present Board of Works will be in office during the first year of the incumbency of the next Mayor. That being the case, it is safe to say that the "gang" will continue to control the police, street and fire departments for one year from next April. We have already had a taste of the viciousness of having the police, fire and street departments in the control of the "gang." We have seen these departments active at the primaries and at the polls, active to do the bidding of the people against whom Oakland has just cause for complaint; active in support of those men who gave us the poolrooms; active in the support of those men who were responsible for the printing steals, active in the support of the men who have allowed the city to be robbed in the foundations of the Sixth ward schoolhouse, active in the support of the men who gave us the defective and dangerous Third ward schoolhouse; active in the support of the railroad, active in the support of all the men and corporations who are a menace to the prosperity and good name of the city of Oakland.

Besides putting the police, fire and street departments into the worst kind of politics and making them the appendages of the "gang" and the tools of the railroad; besides squandering the money of the city on defective school buildings, and allowing the city to be robbed in the purchase of fire engines, besides receiving $200 per month for less than an hour of their time per day, besides turning out of office Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Tompkins and Mr. Bell, and putting into office Mr. Doody, Mr. Harrison and Mr. Lawton, besides making Mr. DeGolia the attorney for the board whenever it could do so, besides refusing to act in the opening of streets through to the water front when the railroad has been opposed to the opening; besides doing everything it could to put and keep the "gang" in power, and refusing to do other things that would be against the interests of the railroad and in the interests of the people of the city of Oakland, besides doing all these things, the Board of Public Works has made itself a public nuisance, in that it has done everything in its power to keep alive and in lighting trim the army of political beers whom the people of the city have repeatedly cast out of office.

We have had six years of experience with the Board of Public Works. Instead of improving with age, as wine is said to do, the board has steadily deteriorated. Instead of being as the framers of the charter said they would be, an aid to the Council and a benefit to the city, the board has become a drag upon the Council, an injury to the city and a corrupting influence in our politics. It has done none of the things that it was claimed it would do but has done everything that its originators said it would not do.

Some time ago the Board of Works had occasion to buy some expansion rings for the fire department. As soon as this became known, a certain dealer in these articles went to the board and offered to sell the rings for $26 per gross. A certain other dealer went to the board and offered to sell the same kind of rings for $36 per gross. Did the board buy the rings for $26 per gross, and thus save the city $10 per gross on the rings? Oh, no, the board, used to seeing the city's money wasted on schoolhouse foundations and defective and dangerous schoolhouses, did nothing of the kind. On the contrary, it bought the $36 per gross rings. Why it did so no mortal man can tell, any more than he can tell why the board bought a fourth-class fire engine and paid a third-class price for it, thereby allowing the city to be robbed of $650.

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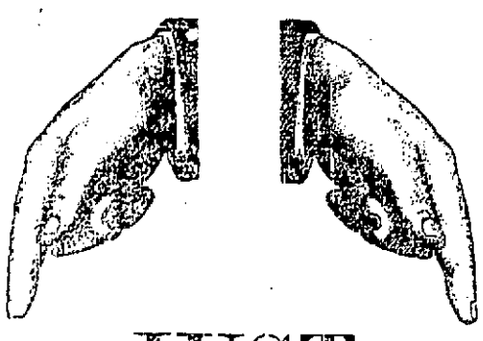

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THE INSURANCE DEAL.

Some Pointers for the Agents and Managers.

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